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EVERYTHING IS IN READINESS

Historical Society's Plans Are Matured, and Big Crowd will be Well Entertained.

SIX MILE RACE WILL BE THRILLING EVENT

Firemen's Parade Friday Afternoon Will Top Off a Great Day in the City of Promise—Twenty Thousand Strangers Will Be Here.

Everything is in readiness for the big days in Towanda this week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the old home and old peoples' days. The Historical society has perfected it's plans for the three days, and the social and literary side of the big gathering will be well looked after.

The program under the auspices of the Historical society Thursday and Friday afternoons will be given in the First Presbyterian church, where there is room enough to seat the big crowd expected. On Saturday, the old peoples' exercises will be held in the Keystone opera house.

The Six Mile Race.

Everything is in readiness for the big six mile race on the Marathon plan to be conducted Friday morning at 11 o'clock. A subscription paper was circulated among the business men yesterday, and like loyal Towandians, they responded nobly, giving enough to make the $50 cash prizes a certainty. The hotelmen were good givers.

The race will be without a doubt, the most thrilling athletic event ever held in Bradford county. The Marathon fever has struck the country and Towanda has become infected.

Some of the best amateur runners in the state are entered, and will surely start. Canton and Troy people are coming to cheer for their man Watts, while Sayre will hooperup for Peer and Driggs. From Athens come the famous Capwell brothers, the endurance roller skaters, and they will have a legion of rooters. New Albany sends the fleet footed Saddler boys, and LeRoy Robinson while East Towanda has a fine representative in O. A. Goodwin. Towanda will be represented by Arthur Fairchild, Audley Ryan, Thomas Scott and other good runners, and there is hardly a section of Bradford county but what will be represented in the race.

It has been decided to give the winners their choice of cash or articles of equal value. For instance the winner of first place can have the gold medal and $25 in cash, or the medal and a $25 suit of clothes, or other article. This will prevent any questioning of their amateur standing. The prizes will be worth running for and there will certainly be a race for the honors.

The police department will keep the course on Main street clear of all vehicles between the hours of 11 o'clock and 12 o'clock, noon, so the racers will have an open field. It is expected that Main and Bridge streets will represent a vast grand stand, massed with people, all cheering for a favorite.

Firemens' Parade.

The firemens' parade with two bands will be the big feature of Friday afternoon. The parade will move promptly at 3:30 o'clock after the exercises in the Presbyterian church.

After the parade, there will be a great baseball game on the East side grounds between the Towanda All-Stars and the Colored Clouters of Corning.

Saturday a Big Day.

Saturday will be another big day. In addition to the old people's exercises in the Keystone opera house, there will be other attractions.

Horse Races on Saturday.

A feature of Saturday afternoon, will be matinee horse races on the fair ground track. There will be three races for $100 and $50 purses, also a match race for $50 between a horse owned by J. G. Pratt of Towanda, and a trotter owned by Rural Mail Carrier McKean.

Truly, this will be a great week in the City of Promise.

Temperance Rally.

Grand rally of the temperance people at the old log cabin, Pratt's grove, West Burlington, third and fourth of July 1909, commencing Saturday at ten o'clock a. m.; 2 o'clock p. m.; 7:30 in the evening; Sunday ten o'clock a. m.; 2 o'clock p. m.; 7:30 p. m. in the evening. Good speakers and music. Contest during session. Warm meals can be had or bring your basket and have a good time. Come one and all.

Another Good School Record.

Miss Mary Vallilee of Wysox, who is now a student in the Towanda High school has not been absent or late at a session of school at Wysox for four years and at Towanda for two years. This is a splendid record when it is taken into consideration that in order to attend school she had to walk from two to five miles each day.

Work Started on Silk Mill.

Contractor Hazzard has commenced work on the new building of the Seneca Silk Mill company, and a force of men are busy on the excavations. The work will be rushed as rapidly as possible.

W. C. T. U. MEETING.

Held Friday Afternoon at the Home of Mrs. Lundy.

The monthly meeting of the Womans' Christian Temperance Union was held on Friday last at the home of Mrs. Lundy on Second street. The devotional exercises by the president followed by the business of the Union which consisted mostly of appointing committees to look after the coming county convention which is to be held in Towanda the first and second of September next. This being the annual flower mission day of the Union, Mrs. Lundy, the county the local superintendent of the Union, prepared a program appropriate for the occasion. At the close of the meeting the members all repaired to a room where tables were filled with beautiful flowers, and all joined heart and hand in arranging them into baskets and boquets to be sent to the sick ones and "shut ins," to the number of 50, to cheer and brighten the hearts of the weary ones.

It might be interesting to some to know the origin of this flower mission work of the Union which is briefly as follows.

A young school teacher in Boston on her way to school, lamenting the waste of so many beautiful flowers, conceived the idea of the end of every week of taking a basket of flowers and giving to the ragged children in the city she chanced to meet. A beautiful, yet simple act, simply done. In a far away home in Lanisville, Ky. on a bed of suffering caused by a runaway accident, surrounded by every luxury but a "shut in" forever, saw in the New York Opera the "Simple act of the Boston" school teacher and caught an inspiration to start a mission among the poor of her own city of the silent messengers which she carried on successfully for four years. About this time Frances Willard visited that city, heard of this young lady, sought her out and added to the Union another department to its work, and made Jenny Cassady National Superintendent of this department and now on the anniversary throughout the land observe this day either by gift of flowers, garments or food, as the case requires.

The next meeting will be held in P. O. S. of A. Hall the third Saturday in July, which will be the annual election of officers.

BOOKING FINE SHOWS.

Keystone Opera House Will Have Line of High Grade Attractions.

Lester C. Gillette, assistant manager of the Keystone opera house, is booking the finest line of theatrical attractions for the season of 1909-10 ever offered to Towanda theatre goers So far he has secured some of the big road atrtactions, and has a number of contracts for other high class attractions awaiting approval. The shows which have been booked up-to-date are better attractions than any heretofore engaged for the local theatre.

It is the intention of Manager Kirby to have shows for Towanda this season such as are only found in the great cities.

Waverly, which is on a fine circuit of show towns, had a little the best but the coming season Towanda will stand in a class by itself as a theatrical town.

WILL KILL UNMUZZLED DOGS.

Health Officer Fenner Gets Orders to Slaughter Canines.

DeLamson Fenner, constable of Towanda township and State health officer for several townships, has received orders from the State Livestock Sanitary board to proceed at once and kill all unmuzzled dogs in the townships of North Towanda, Towanda and Wysox, and prosecute the owners for violating the state quarantine.

Armed with these orders Constable Fenner will make a tour of these townships and will obey orders to the letter.

Under the X-Ray.

Says the Sayre correspondent of the Athens News: "Levi Stalford of Wyalusing is in Sayre today for the purpose of having an X-Ray picture taken to disclose if possible the position of the Murphy button that was used some months ago to attach the ends of his intestines together after about eleven feet had been removed. The button was never recovered after the operation and still remains in the intestines. Some days ago he felt what he thought was a movement of the button and has been in pain since that time. About a week ago a picture was taken at the hospital but the machine there was not powerful enough to disclose the location of the button, and today a picture was taken by Dr. M. C. Hunter, who owns a very powerful static machine."

Fire at Spring Hill.

Says the Laceyville Messenger: "A mattress coming in contact with a small heating stove at the home of Guy Wells, Spring Hill, Thursday last, became ignited, and threatened the destruction of the house, when it was discovered by Mrs. Wells. Rushing through the dense smoke, she seized the burning bedding, which she forced through a window, thus averting a serious blaze. In doing this, Mrs. Wells showed not only presence of mind, but bravery as well, as she was in imminent danger of having her clothing inited, by the burning mattress."

Can Only Be Tagged Once.

The Village Improvement society, which is promoting the tag day scheme for raising funds for a rest room for shoppers, wish it understood that any person wearing a tag issued by the Improvement society will not be approached by the young ladies doing the tagging. In other words you cannot be tagged but once, unless you insist upon it.

TO SETTLE THE DAM QUESTION

Messrs. Lilley & Fell Will Endeavor to Decide Land Proposition.

TOWANDA WILL BE "IT" OR NOT "IT" IN TEN DAYS

Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars Have Got to Be Shaved From Real Estate Prices, or Meikleham & Dinsmore Will Not Go Ahead With Project.

The question of whether Towanda is to be the site of a big dam in the Susquehanna river for the purpose of generating electrical power, which has been agitating the people of this entire valley for the past two weeks, will be decided once and for all and within ten days.

Twenty-five thousand dollars, or thereabouts, at present stand between Towanda and this greatly coveted prize, and to overcome this Hon. M. E. Lilley and Hon. U. M. Fell, who represent Meikleham & Dinsmore, the promoters of the project, commence work Monday and continue until they succeed in making the project a certainty for Towanda, or have satisfied themselves and the promoters that it is no use to try to do business here.

Messrs. Lilley and Wilson are confident that they can overcome the $25,000 handicap. They base this belief on their intimate acquaintance with the landowners, who they are quite sure want to see the dam built and Towanda made to boom as never before. They believe that the property owners, when they see that Mikllham & Dinsmore will not pay exhorbitant praces, but will pay the full value for their land that they will be reasonable and make the rest of the way comparatively easy sailing.

Meikleham & Dinsmore, when they commenced to look at the Towanda site, made careful investigation and learned what the land was worth for farming purposes, and then made their plans accordingly. They made careful estimate on what the land would cost, and the cost of the building of the dam, and other expenses in connection with the enterprise, after which they made arrangements for the financing of the project. They came on to buy the needed land, and found that a number of the property owners had increased their prices to such an extent that the land part of the deal was over $50,000 more than they had estimated. Lilley & Wilson and U. M. Fell have by hard work cut this down to about $25,000 and in order to keep it within the bounds of the promoters the $25,000 must be overcome.

Everything possible will be done within the next ten days to remove the $25,000 obstacle, and if the local men are unsuccessful, then the people of the valley who want to see the dam built will have no one to blame but the landowners who have set exhorbitant prices on their land.

If the project falls through by this cause, The Daily Review will publish a full list of the property owners, together with the options given, the prices, and the names of the property owners who held out for big prices, with the figures they asked, showing plainly who is responsible for preventing the building of the dam.

It has been talked by a number and believed by a few that Meikleham & Dinsmore were simply securing options on the land, and making other preparations simply to keep some one else out of the territory.

This is bosh, pure and simple, as the options which they have secured and which they are trying to get are only good until the first day of April 1910, after which time if they fail to pay the agreed price the options are void, and not binding upon either party.

Meikleham & Dinsmore would appear ridiculous if they came here and secured short term options upon thousands of acres of farming land if they did not mean business.

The Review has received a number of letters from residents of the town, some from different parts of the county, and a couple from former citizens of the county seat. The trend of these communications is that they cannot understand how anyone who ever lived in Towanda, or now make their homes here have the welfare of the town and it's people at heart could place exhorbitant prices upon real estate simply for personal gain.

Want New Trial.

Attorneys J. Wood Piatt, H. Stanley Harding and Ernest K. Little of Tunkhannock, were in Towanda on Saturday, where the rule for a new trial in the case of C. A. Little estate vs. Wyoming County, was argued before Judge A. C. Fanning. This is the case in which the estate seeks to recover a sum of money alleged to be due in connection with legal services rendered the county by Clarence A. Little at the time the State bridge was erected at Tunkhannock. At the trial in Towanda some time ago a verdict was secured by the plaintiff.

Automobiles Will Parade.

All owners of automobiles in Towanda and vicinity have agreed to enter their cars in the parade to be held in Towanda on Friday afternoon of this week. There are about 50 cars in the town and immediate vicinity, and they will make an imposing pageant.

ATHENS ALLEGED ARSON CASE HAS HEARING.

Carner Discharged, While Wakely and Lockerby Were Held to Court.

Athens alleged arson case was given an airing in Justice Orcutt's court Monday afternoon. Clinton Carner was discharged, while J. H. Lockerby and Stephen Wakely, also accused of conspiracy to commit arson, were held to the grand jury under $1,000 bail each. Judge Fanning fixed the amount of bail, which was furnished, and the defendants returned to Athens.

This is the case in which it is alleged that J. Clinton Carner, Stephen Wakely and J. H. Lockerby entered into a conspiracy to burn a building in Athens in which a liquor store was conducted by Lockerby. Ludwig Raupers owns the building, and his daughter, Miss Mary Raupers, is the prosecutor in the case. The fire which the defendants are accused of causing, occurred on the night of June 12. But little damage was done to the building the firemen cheating the flames. Unmistakeable evidence, in the form of straw saturated with kerosene, etc., was found in the liquor store after the fire had been extinguished.

The hearing Monday was a dummer for excitement. It was called at 1 o'clock, and it was nearly six when it was finished. William P. Wilson and David E. Kaufman were attorneys for the prosecutor, while Hon. L. T. Hoyt, I. N. Evans, W. G. Schrier and Hon. C. E. Mills appeared for the defendants. A large number of witnesses were sworn, and much evidence was introduced. Justice Orcutt decided there was enough evidence to warrant an investigation by the grand jury in the cases against Lockerby and Wakely, but not enough against Carner, who was discharged.

HEWITT WILL CONTEST ENDS.

Beneficiary Institutions Will Give Million Dollars to Relatives.

The announcement that a settlement has been effected in the suit to break the will of Frederick Charles Hewitt, of Owego, who died in August, 1908, brings to an end one of the most bitterly contested ligigations in the history of New York State, and clears the way to speedy disposition of more than $5,000,000.

Mr. Hewitt, an eccentric bachelor, bequeathed $4,513,000 to art, education and philanthropy, but left nothing to the contestant, Mrs. Charlotte H. Arnot, of Elmira, who is his sister and sole surviving near relative. At the close of a conference of the attorneys interested in the case the following statement was issued late Sunday afternoon by Fred W. Clifford, of Owego, of counsel for the proponents.

"The contest over the will of Frederick C. Hewitt has been settled to the satisfaction of all parties concerned by the withdrawal of the objections to the probate of the will. The will is to be admitted to probate at an early date. It is understood that the public institutions which were the chief legatees have taken into consideration the fact that most of Mr. Hewitt's fortune came to him through his father and brother, and have agreed that the family should share in his estate to the extent of about $1,300,000, including the amount given to members of his family by his will."

The name of the institutions which have consented to turn over to the contestant a part of the legacy left them by Mr. Hewitt were not made public.

AUTOMOBILE PARADE.

Motor Cars Will Move in Procession Friday Afternoon at 3:30.

All owners of automobiles in Bradford county invited, as this is a county celebration. Owing to the difficulty of driving cars so slowly to follow firemen, the automobile parade will take place before the firemen's parade starts.

Automobiles will form with small cars in front and large cars in rear on South Main street near the opera house at 3:15 p. m., and start at 3:30 sharp. Route will be up Main to Walnut, to York, to Huston, to Third, over Third to College, to Second, to Grant, to Main, up Main to Mix avenue to William, to Chestnut, to Main and down Main in double column to starting point.

GOES TO GLOVERSVILLE.

Rev. William B. Caines Transferred to Larger Field.

Rev. William B. Caines, has been transferred from the pastorate of the Towanda A. M. E. Zion church to the pastorate at Gloversville, which is a larger field. The transfer was made at the annual conference held at Rochester, N. Y., which came to a close yesterday.

Rev. T. H. Washington, who was pastor of the Towanda church some years ago, has been assigned the charge vacated by Rev. Mr. Caines. Rev. Mr. Washington has been pastor of the A. M. E. Zion church at Corning, where he did very good work.

New Map.

A government survey map of the territory lying twenty miles to the north and west of Honesdale has been made. The map includes Pleasant Mount and Carbondale. Altitudes are given for the entire territory. Carbondale stands 1,200 feet above sea level and Pleasant Mount 2,040 feet.

Will Wed June 30.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Frances Kenney, of Waverly, to John Reilly, of Sayre. The ceremony will take place at St. James church, Wednesday morning, June 30th, at 9 o'clock and will be followed by a small reception at the home of the bride, at which only the immediate relatives will be present.

WRIGHTS FACING UNTRIED TESTS

United States Government Demands a Speed Hard to Obtain.

THE AIR NAVIGATORS SEEM VERY CONFIDENT

They Hope to Win Thousand of Dollars in Bonus, Which Uncle Sam Is Ready to Pay For Flight Up to Forty-four Miles an Hour.

Washington, June 22.—Notwithstanding the marvelous records established by the Wright brothers in this country and abroad, Orville Wright, to comply with the government specifications in his trial flights at Fort Myer, will be compelled to meet conditions wholly new and untried.

The endurance trial, in which the aviator, accompanied by a passenger must remain in continuous flight for one hour, carrying sufficient fuel for 125 miles, has already been accomplished by Wilbur Wright.

It is the speed trial, however, which imposes difficulties. Orville Wright who will complete the tests he began last fall and which ended when Lieutenant Selfridge was killed and he was injured, must fly over a measured course of five miles from Fort Myer and return, a distance of ten miles. In order to receive the contract price of $25,000 a speed of forty miles an hour with and against the wind must be maintained.

Expect to Gain $10,000 Bonus.

If less speed than thirty-six miles an hour is made the machine will not be accepted, and 10 per cent of the contract price will be deducted for each mile less than forty made in the speed trial.

A bonus of 10 per cent will be paid for each mile above forty. The Wright machine has averaged from thirty-five to forty miles per hour in the various flights made.

With a bonus of $2,500 held out by the government for each mile an hour in excess of the contract requirement of thirty-six miles in that time, Orville and Wilbur Wright were hard at work putting together at Fort Myer an aeroplane which they are confident will net them $10,000 more than the minimum price the war department offers.

Army Officers as Passengers.

Forty-four miles an hour is the maximum amount up to which the government is willing to pay a bonus, and every mile added to thirty-six and up to forty-four within an hour means $2,500 for the inventors.

The progress in putting the flying machine together has been so rapid that if called upon the brothers could launch themselves off on their record flight Thursday morning. It is probable, however, that the first test will not be made until Friday afternoon. By that time they hope to have tested every one of the hundreds of parts in order to insure themselves against accidents.

No outsiders, however, will have the pleasure of flying with the Wrights, as it has been decided that Lieutenants Lahm and Fulois of the signal corps are the only men who will be carried as passengers.

Fearful of Uneven Ground.

The rough, hilly country surrounding Fort Myer, over which the speed trial must be made, is what is causing Orville Wright some uneasiness. No cross country flight over an uneven country has ever been made by a heavier than air flying machine.

The aeroplane can only be guided in a straight plane by comparison with the land, and if the level of the earth rises and falls beneath it it is presumed that the natural impulse of the aviator will be to follow the unevenness of the ground. As the energy required to go up is not balanced in any degree by a downward flight, the fall and rise of the machine will greatly retard its speed.

Asks $5,000 for Injuries.

Abel Beynon of Pittston, through his attorneys, McLean & McLean, Monday filed a suit in trespass against Henry Vogelbacher of that city and asks $5,000 damages. The plaintiff alleges that while walking down the main street of Pittston several months ago he was forced to walk out in the street because of building obstructions on the sidewalk at 183 North Main street and that while he was on the street at that point he was run into by the defendant driving a cart, and painfully injured.

Notice to Six Mile Runners.

All entrants in the six mile race to be conducted in Towanda Friday morning of this week, are notified to be at The Review office Friday morning at 10:30. They will be given their numbers here, and instructed. From The Review office the contestants will go to the starting line, and the starting pistol will be fired at 11 o'clock.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS DEATH OF WILLIAMSPORT COUPLE.

Bride and Groom of a Week Found Dead in Their Room.

Williamsport has a very mysterious case. Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Munro, who just one week ago Thursday evening, amid a large party of frineds, were married in All Saints' Episcopal church, Williamsport, were found dead in their bedroom at the home of Munro's uncle, George W. Vernes, chief of the Pennsylvania Railroad detectives Friday afternoon. Mrs. Munro, nude as though she had come from a bath, was lying on the floor beside the bed, while her husband, leaning against the bed at her head, had his head folded in his hands as though in an attitude of prayer. He was attired for the night.

At first it was theorized that the young couple were the victims of some jealous person, in that a box containing candy was found on the bureau, and the belief that the sweetmeats may have been poisoned prevailed. This was exploded by a neighbor, who said that on Wednesday evening he had eaten of the candy while they were all on the porch, the Munros passing it around as a "wedding treat"

Except for a bottle, containing a throat wash, there was no bottle, weapon or article with which death could be accomplished. The Verneses were on a fishing trip for several days and the Munros were alone in the house.

When Munro failed to reach the office any time during the day, Officer Dietrick went to the Vernes home. He got in through a second-story window, found the windows all open and the gas burning, and going to Munro's room found the young couple as described.

The fact that the gas was still burning proved that there could not have been gas asphyxiation. This deepens the mystery, and raises the question, if the bridal couple died of poison, as seems most likely, whether it was a suicidal pact or murder; and, in either case, the possible motive as yet can be only a matter of conjecture.

Munro, whose home is in Blaudsburg, was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad detective as a clerk. Before her marriage Mrs. Munro was Ida May Dalton, of Williamsport.

When last seen Munro was in the best of spirits, and the suicide theory is not given much credence. If the theory of Coroner Hardt and the police officials is correct, and the evidence now points that way, the case is almost without paralled in that the deaths of Mr. Munro and his young bride occurred almost simultaneously as the result of sudden attacks of heart trouble. It is the supposition that Mrs. Munro was taken ill while in the bath room and that she dropped lifeless to the floor upon reaching her bedroom. Mr. Munro probably went to the assistance of his wife and the shock of finding her dead so affected him that he fainted and fell forward with his head upon the bed, face downward, and smothered to death without regaining consciousness. This is the conclusion reached by the coroner and Dr. Ferd Weddigen, who conducted the autopsy Saturday morning, but a further examination of the organs of the bodies will be made to definitely determine the poison theory which was at first advanced.

You can take it from this column, and without second thought that there will be one glad time in Towanda the last three days of this week.

NEWS NOTES FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Cities and Towns Hereabouts.

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY MENTIONED

Montrose is Very Much in Need of a New Watter Supply—New Lumbering Operations Near Lopez—Laceyville Operates Split Log Drag.

A dog poisoner is at work in Susquehanna.

Montrose is preparing to build a band pagoda.

An effort is being made to organize a boy's band in Waverly.

The young men of Laceyville are fitting up a tennis court.

A training school for colored children has been established in Williamsport.

Daniel H. Pitts, a prominent Mansfield citizen, died at his home in that place on Tuesday.

A Nicholson butcher claims to have killed a calf six weeks old that weighed 300 pounds.

The Laceyville borough school board is contracting for a steam heat plant for the school building.

Laceyville borough has a split road drag and uses it. The Messenger says that it puts the road in good condition.

The annual picnic of the Tioga County Odd Fellows will be held at Tioga in August, the date to be announced later.

The school board at Wilkes-Barre has levied a tax of 8 1-2 mills for school purposes and 2 1-4 mills for building taxes.

Neither Meshoppen, Laceyville or Wyalusing borough school districts will make any change in their corps of teachers for the coming year.

The Tunkhannock band and citizens are getting up an old-fashioned Fourth of July celebration, which is to be held on Monday, July 5.

Montrose needs a new water supply. Consumers are already complaining of the bad odor and taste of the water, and the Summer season not yet on.

Sayre boys have been celebrating with firecrackers and explosives and now the police will make it a point to arrest every one caught making a noise like is heard on the ever glorious.

Albert Dyer, of Lopez, is sawing out his stock of logs consisting of half a million feet. On account of poor sleighing Mr. Dyer did not succeed in getting in all of his stock last Winter.

Chester VanScoy, of Idetown, consulted a fortune teller at Wilkes-Barre, and was flimflammed out of $1,000 by entrusting the money to her, with the expectation of having it doubled in three days by some magical process.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

WELLS.

Dr. Kinsman has bought the Schofield property at Webbs Mills, and will remodel the house.

Mr. Shepard of Webbs Mills, has moved the Webster house onto his farm near Bird Creek.

Roy Dunning, a popular telegraph operator for the Northern Central railroad, was home at Gillett last week and visited his many friends.

Herbert Besley has a new top buggy.

Ralph Baker is sawing a large stock of logs for Myron Capron near Moshierville with his portable sawmill.

Owen Judson was at Elmira last Saturday and incidentally was one of the crowd who saw the illfated M. V. McNamara of Waverly, cut in two by the cars near Railroad and Water streets.

Miss Mary Gorman of Elmira Heights, with other relatives, now occupies the Gorman homestead here. They will spend the summer months at the farm here.

Fred Brewer is convalescing from injuries received by being thrown by a colt recently.

Mason Oldroyd is having his barn reshingled and otherwise improved. Lee Vernier is doing the carpenter work on it.

S. W. Owen is repairing his residence and enlarging the porches. A. C. Douglass is the carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons and children and Miss Mame Connolly of Elmira were guests of Mrs. T. J. Sullivan and family last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Curren and children of Mt. Zoar, N. Y., spent Sunday at G. W. Ayres.'

A social hop will be given in the hall at Fassett on Friday evening, July 2; everybody invited.

William Welsh, Jr., and brother, Morris Welsh of Bulkhead, visited relatives here last Friday.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Moses Ward and sons Archie and James spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother, James Ward, near Wellsburg.

Miss Cora Kellogg of Roaring Branch, was a recent guest at T. E. Brownson's.

Bert Sherman of Elmira Heights, was an over Sunday guest at J. D. Blackwell's.

Miss May Thomas of Canton, was a recent guest at the home of her uncle, M. A. Case.

Mrs. Myra Rockwell has returned to her home here, after spending the Winter with her sister, Mrs. Rasalice Smith, in Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blackwell drove up from Towanda last Saturday for the day. Mrs. Delos Rockwell accompanied them home.

Mrs. Harrett Everett of Burlington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Blackwell, for a few days.

George Kellogg was a Sunday guest at the home of his niece, Mrs. T. E. Brownson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rockwell and daughter drove to Burlington Sunday in Elmer Dickinson's new auto buggy.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rockwell spent Sunday att he home of her sister, Mrs. Lynn E. Blackwell, in Luthers Mills.

ALBA.

Mrs. George Crandall and children from Clearfield, are visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson from Binghamton, N. Y., are visiting friends here.

The Christian church has hired Rev. Bixel from Lock Haven for their pastor the coming year. He is a young man not yet through college. He boards with Mrs. Price.

Mrs. Celestia Warren has been staying with her niece at Canton the past week.

Mrs. Melvina Lewis has been visiting friends at Grover and just returned Sunday.

Mrs. F C. Miller will have the Ladies' Aid on Thursday, June 24, in the afternoon. All are invited.

On Saturday Mrs. M. L. Packard entertained her five sisters for dinner: Mrs. Lucy Dickerson, Mrs. Ellen Miller, Mrs. Mandana Taylor, Mrs. Laura Stone, Mrs. Louise Case. Mrs. Packard took them for a ride to the old farm and their childhood home. Many old and familar scenes were visited on their trip around the country.

DURELL.

L. M. Benjamin of this place is building a large barn at Spring Lake for Seth Young.

George Buchanan, who had the misfortune to break his leg, is nearly recovered.

Several of this place are ill with the grip.

Mrs. A. D. VanGorder of Monroeton spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sickler.

Mrs. W. F. Painter of New York city is visiting at the home of L. M. Benjamin.

Mrs. A. L. Mingos of Towanda is visiting at Mrs. G. B. Kilmer's.

SPRING HILL.

Children's day exercises, June 27th at the church.

Rev. B. Lyon visited his friends at his old home last week and was present at the Hall Friday evening, June 11th.

The Mission Study class gave a fine entertainment and supper at the hall Friday evening. It was a success. The class dressed like the Celestials. First was a Chinese wedding and then the participants told about China.

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight

unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle" he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by Turner's Drug Store.

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EAST SMITHFIELD.

Mrs. Dave Wallace and daughter, Mildred, of Ithaca, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bird. Mrs. Wallace is a sister of Mrs. Bird.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bird left Saturday to visit there son, Carl, at Coopers Plains, N. Y.

Mrs. Rose Britten, of Odessa, N. Y., and Miss Maud Messing of Athens, are visiting at Edward Doty's.

Miss Anna Smith has returned from the notable trip to the Bermudas and reports a delightful time.

M. V. Lampman and family spent last Friday at Mountain Lake.

Fred Sumner entertained a company of friends in honor of his cousins, Geroud Bullock and his sister, Miss Helen, who recently visited in town.

Harold French entertained a company of about twenty of his young friends last Wednesday evening.

The lawn party that was to be at Mrs. Nettie Howland's Friday evening found it more comfortable indoors by a fire. A large number were present.

Fifty years ago the Fourth of July was so cold that good warm fires were needed. The writer remembers it.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Holcombe and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Blackman, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Lena Nichols, who has been living in Nebraska the past few years, arrived in town last week. She brought with her, little Lawrence Smith, the youngest child of her sister, Mrs. Nellie Smith, who died last Winter.

Llewellen Blackman, of Lestershire, N. Y., recently died. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Betsy Sumner Blackman who was a Smithfield girl and has relatives in the township.

Mrs. Etta Brown has come to spend a little time with her old friends, the Percy family.

Dana R. Stevens of Athens and some of his family rode into town Sunday in an auto. He expects to spend part of the Summer here.

GROVER.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Eastgate were visitors in Elmira and Clifton Springs last week.

George Wetherby is still a very sick man.

Children's day exercises were held at the Disciple church Sunday morning. The children with their smiling faces seemed to enjoy the occasion.

The many friends of Mrs. L. E. Hoagland will be pleased to learn that she is still in a fair way of recovery.

Mrs. Diana Wilcox and son of West LeRoy, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox.

The Rev. B. H. Niebel of Harrisburg, preached on the subject of missions in in the United Evangelical church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming have returned home after an absence of several weeks.

Amos Bassett of Grandville, was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. Pearl Jones and mother, Mrs. Kiff, were in Williamsport Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Wilcox returned Saturday from Ralston, where she had been visiting her son, Fred.

Misses Edna and Alma Wilcox left Friday for Syracuse to attend the wedding of their brother, Rev. Perry O. Wilcox, which took place June 21.

Robert Stapleton of York, joined his mother and sister at the Merrick Crandle farm house Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones and daughter were the guests of his parents last week.

STEVENSVILLE.

Mrs. Joseph Kalfbus of Harrisburg, is spending some time with relatives in this place.

Mrs. Ida Patton of Binghamton, has been spending some time in this vicinity.

Miss Ruth Goodwin, who is spending the Summer at LeRaysville, is spending this week with her parents in this place.

Mrs. Elsie Montgomery and daughter, Kathryn, of New York, are spending a time in this place.

Miss Jennie Cobb spent a part of last week with friends at Rome.

Children's day will be observed in this place on Sunday evening, June 27.

Rose Carter was in town on Monday.

Victor Eastabrook, who has been attending school at State College, is spending his vacation at his home in this place.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of this place and the society of Rushville, will hold their union meeting at the Presbyterian church in this place on Thursday afternoon of this week.

William Tracy of Sylvaria, was a caller in this place on Monday.

MONROETON.

Herbert Barnes has been quite ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunfee attended the Dunfee-Mapes wedding at Laquin last Thursday.

Mrs. John Mingos has entered a sanitarium at Williamsport and will undergo an operation this week.

Lew Dunfee returned to Philadelphia on Thursday.

Leah and Mott Holcombe ar evisiting their grandparents near Bath, N. Y.

Mrs. A. Lloyd Rockwell is attending the commencement exercises of the State Normal school at West Chester, at which place her daughter, Louise, is one of the graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Dennis of Ashville, N. C., are spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mingo's.

T. J. Rowan returned to New York last week.

Lloyd Robinson is home from the west.

Mrs. Grace Williams of Auburn, N. Y., visited Mrs. J. R. Cowell one day last week.

H. J. Decker spent several days last week in Northumberland.

Stung For 15 Years.

by Indigestion's pangs—trying many doctors and $200.00 worth of medicine in vain, B. F. Ayscue, of Ingleside, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. They cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. 25c at Turner's Drug Store.

LeRAYSVILLE.

Miss Cecil Haire of Lawton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W. Durga.

Miss Clara Carr of this place and Arlene Carr of Stevensville, are spending a couple of weeks with relatives at Towanda.

Mrs. P. H. Cook and neice, Miss Lillian Haight is visiting relatives at Sheshequin.

LeRaysville will celebrate the 4th on Saturday.

Miss Mildred Canfield is spending a few days with relatives at Friendsville.

Measles are raging in several homes near this place. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Davis died Saturday with them.

A. F. Johnson and wife were at Wyalusing Saturday. Miss Mabel Coolbaugh returned with them.

Miss May Durga is visiting her parents on East street.

Miss Bessie Adney is visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. W. Bradley at Vawter.

Miss Beulah Tilton who has been attending school at Kingston returned home Friday.

Miss Ivy Durga has returned from Nichols, N. Y.

Miss Cleone Beecher is quite ill at this writing.

Mrs. Henry Vought of Waverly, is visiting his mother Mrs. Vought of the township.

C. H. Adney and A. F. Johnson autoed to Stevensville Saturday.

J. V. Keeler went to Wyalusing Saturday from there he will go to Easton to attend his class reunion.

Several from this place will attend Old People's Day at Towanda the 25th.

Mrs. C. H. Adney and son Clyde visited Mrs. John Carr at Stevensville Saturday.

C. H. Adney will go to West Auburn Monday the 21st.

LAUREL HILL.

J. David Elsbree and mother, Mrs. Mary Elsbree, are visiting relatives in New Jersey.

George Rice is again a great sufferer from neuralgia in the nerves of his face. He is htinking of going to a hospital.

Fred Holcomb of Binghamton, spent a part of last week with friends on the hill.

Mrs. Ella Mitchell is spending a few days with Mrs. Ida Weed.

George Parsol and granddaughter, Miss Jennie Rightmire, of Ridgebury, were guests at Edwin Wright's the first of the week.

The Valillee brothers have finished the mason work on Rev. Weed's barn and are now laying a wall for Charles Olmstead's new house. George Hills and Will Wittig are doing the carpenter work on the barn.

Miss Helen Nippard is home from Mansfield Normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ansel are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Kline.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carpenter and baby, Viola, of Greens Landing, took dinner at Will Carpenter's on Sunday

Miss Ruth Fraley, who has been teaching in New York state, is home for a vacation.

Edwin Wright and L. J. Havens attended the funeral of Jason Cary at Milan Sunday afternoon.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dibble of Athens, attended the Soldiers' Reunion at the lake and visited their parents here last week.

Miss Mae Lampman is visiting her parents here for two weeks.

The funeral of Charles Alexander, late of Towanda, was held at the church on Friday at 1 o'clock; interment was made in the Mountain Lake cemetery. Mr. Alexander formerly lived at this place and had many friends here.

Frank Steele of Tioga county, is visiting relatives here.

Fred Baxter and family of Bailey's Corners, were guests at M. B. Haights on Sunday.

The seven months old child of David Pruyne of Butler county, was brought here for burial on Saturday.

Riley Cooper of Smithfield, is visiting friends here.

Miss Allene Nichols of Sayre, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Allen.

George Selleck is very low with no chance for recovery.

ELWELL.

Robert Steele was visiting his sister Mildred at Wyalusing, Saturday and Sunday.

Irvin Fink, who had the misfortune to cut his leg with an ax while chopping brush to build a brush fence, recently is doing nicely and is able to walk about.

Mrs. Victor Ortlieb of Hollenback, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Shaffer, Saturday.

Master Manford Griffis of Quicks Bend, spent Saturday, and Sunday with his cousin, Forest Rogers.

The ice cream festival at Hollenback, Friday evening was a success, although it was rather cool; $14 was cleared above expenses.

Children's Day will be held in the M. E. church, Sunday June 27, at Hollenback, commencing at 2 o'clock sharp.

BLACK CREEK.

F. C. Teeter moved his family to Evergreen last week.

J. Warburton of New Florence, spent last week at William Bartlow's.

Miss Annie Bartlow of this place, was visiting relatives at Big Bottom last week.

John and Maurice Teeter of Evergreen, are repairing a barn for John Brennan.

E. Bennett injured his foot last week with a pick.

W. V. Bartlow is putting up a blacksmith shop on his place.

G. Rinebold of Overton, was registering school children at this place on Saturday.

Looking One's Best.

It's a woman's delight to look her best but pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils rob life of joy. Listen! Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; makes the skin soft and velvety. It glorifies the face. Cures Pimples, Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Cracked Lips, Chapped Hands. Try it. Infallible for Piles. 25c at Turner's Drug Store.

WINDFALL.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones and son of Litchfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shoemaker spent Sunday at John Jones' at Grover.

Children's day will be observed next Sunday at West LeRoy, at 2 o'clock, and at the Methodist church here in the evening.

A. M. Fleming and family will take a triving trip to Towanda and Macedonia this week.

Mrs. Hattie Landon is ill.

Frank Shedden is painting his house.

Frank Ayers and George Haflet are having cement floors laid in their barns.

Mrs. Elizabeth Packard is visiting her brother, Alex Eastman, at Elmira this week.

George Stokenbur has returned from Delaware.

Jervis Colton died at Knoxville, Pa., recently. His family lived here.

John Haflet has bought a new driving horse.

Mrs. Reid is caring for Mrs. Ellen Coe.

Mrs. Floyd Jones and son, Thomas, visited her sister, Mrs. Jennie Shedden, the past week.

Fred Porter is having his house painted. D. Blanchard of Troy, is doing the work.

tended Mrs. Flemming's cousin's funeral, Mrs. Pratt, at Burlington last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark of Springfield, spent Sunday with Mr. Clark's father, Harding Clark.

DOTY HILL.

Mrs. Pantz of Elmira, returned home Saturday, having spent the past two weeks with her son George Pantz and family.

Mrs. Murry Feathers and children Nellie, Archie, and Roger, Mr. and Mrs. George Aber, and Mrs. S. F. Aber attended the Jenkins reunion at Hoffman Grove Elmira Saturday.

Mrs. J. V. Hall and Mrs. Will Brewer were in Elmira Saturday.

T. E. Lain was decorating the Odd Fellows graves in the Doty Hill cemetery Sunday.

Miss Flora Andrus left Monday for Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown spent Sunday in Elmira.

Mrs. Asa Wood and son Asa, of South Doty Hill, visited Herman Wood and family Sunday.

Miss Florence Kenndy of Leona was the guest of Flora Andrus Friday night.

Mrs. A. B. Merriam of Comfort Hill, visited her sister, Mrs. Elmer Andrus, the last of the week.

NEATH.

Preparations are being made for a grand celebration July 3 in Upham's grove near the church. There will be speaking, music, games, etc. Dinner will be served on the grounds. Proceeds for a church bell.

Miss Anna Thomas arrived home last week from Northfield, Mass., having graduated from the seminary at that place.

Eighteen were taken into the church Sunday morning, two by letter and sixteen upon confession of faith.

Samuel Davis and wife are at Mansfield attending commencement. Their daughter Ruth, is in the graduating class.

Isabel, the year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Davis, died Saturday. Funeral was held on Tuesday at 10:30 at the house. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

J. C. Pettes and sons of Orwell, are repairing a barn for E. O. Green.

RIDGEBURY.

Born, June 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert, a daughter, Mary Frances.

Mrs. Sarah Stevens and Mrs. Della Thomas returned home Friday after nearly a month spent in visiting in Waverly and Chemung.

Mrs. John Ayres is quite ill.

Announcement has been made of the marriage to take place in the near future of Miss Mary Snyder of this place, to Allen Smith of Sheshequin.

Frank Owen has been making some improvements to his house.

Mrs. Frank Halstead and Mrs. Will Owen were Sunday guests of Elmira Heights relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Morris entertained a dancing party Friday evening.

George Stevens and family of Elmira, are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Will Evans.

An ice cream social will be given at the Glen pavilion Friday evening. Dancing will be one of the amusements.

RUMMERFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moon spent Sunday at A. A. Campbell's at Herrickville.

Miss Sara Stephens of Mercur, is spending a few days with her brother, W. M. Stephens, of this place.

Miss May Valentine has returned home from spending a week with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Hendershot, of Asylum.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sage and family spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Schoonover.

There will be a social on Frank Sage's lawn, Wednesday evening June 23. Ice cream and strawberries served. Benefit for the pastor. Everybody come.

Harry Hines made a business trip to New York city recently.

George VanKuren is improving his house by the addition of a porch.

John Bishop is having a severe attack of the measles.

SHESHEQUIN.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stevens and Mrs. B. E. Snyder attended the Universalist convention in Towanda Wednesday.

Mrs. B. E. Snyder is visiting her brother, David Heavener, in Chemung. Frank Tompkins was transacting business in Athens Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Sheeler is visiting at John Rogers' in Ulster.

Rich Men's Gifts Are Poor

besides this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest gifts that God has made to woman, writes Mrs. O. Rhinevault, of Vestal Center, N. Y. "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and jubilant health. It quickly cures Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Headache, Backache, Fainting and Dizzy Spells; soon builds up the weak, ailing and sickly. Try them 50c. at Turner's Drug Store.

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ARE UNEXCELLED FOR GOOD WORK.

TERRYTOWN.

Mrs. George Richards of New Era, visited at Peter Layman's Saturday.

Nina Hoyt of New Era, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. R. Terry, a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parks and Mrs. Sheeny and children of Athens, spent Tuesday and Wednesday, at the home of their uncle.

Mrs. Hilrey Page visited at Mr. Bender's last week.

Mrs. H. L. Layman, and Mrs. J. L. Jones, spent Thursday, at Dr. Layman's at Towanda.

Miss Anna Fassett started Friday for West Chester, to be present at the graduating exercises of her sister Mabel, and from there, to go to Maryland to visit relatives; she expects to be gone several weeks. Her sister Mabel goes with her.

L. J. Schoonover visited his parents here Sunday.

Annis Owen spent this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Owen.

As Mrs. B. H. Thompson's and Mrs. Josephine Terry's birthdays both came the same day, they spent it together Sunday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Thompson.

WESTON.

Miss Ruby Northrup is spending the week with her uncle in Towanda.

Mrs. James Northrup and son Raymond of Towanda, spent the weeks end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Watkin.

Rev. W. H. S. Loller and Mrs. Loller and children of Monroeton, visited Weston Sunday school Sunday.

Jeff Nicholas was called to Monroeton Saturday by the serious illness of his brother-in-law, H. P. Barnes, who had a shock.

Children's day exercises will be held Sunday, June 27, at 2:30. A cordial invitation extended to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephens Albro of South Branch, spent Sunday at Julins Hames'.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Northrup of Dushore, and Mrs. Nellie Northrup of Towanda, visited Miss K. Northrup at Sunnybank over Sunday.

Miss Sadie Stranger spent part of last week visiting her brothers in Athens.

Mrs. Warren Northrup and children are visiting Mrs. Willard Cox at Lamoka.

MACEDONIA.

M. B. Wheeler is building a new barn.

Mrs. Phillip Eiffert of Milan, visited at the home of Mrs. G. C. Barnes last week.

Mrs. E. C. Powers spent Thursday at Mrs. Charles Ennis' at Standing Stone.

G. C. Barnes has one of the finest and earliest gardens to be seen; he also has a patch of strawberries from which he has picked some very fine berries.

Miss Ethel Wickizer has returned after spending some time at Lake Winola.

Mr. and Mrs. William Detrich of Elmira, and Mrs. George Barnes of Rush, were called here on account of the sudden illness of their sister, Mrs. G. C. Barnes, who is very low.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rundell of Monroeton, were guests at the home of W. K. Barnes on June 16.

The Markets.

The market reports in the Reporter Journal and Republican are corrected every week.

Towanda Provision Market

Eggs	20c
Butter	26c.

General Markets.

New York, June 22.

BUTTER—Barely steady; receipts, 27,664 packages; creamery, specials, 25½a26c.; (official 25½c.); extras, 25c.; thirds to firsts, 21a24½c.; state dairy, common to finest, 20a25c.; process, common to special, 18a23½c.; western, factory, 18a21c.; imitation creamery, 22c.

CHEESE—Steady; receipts, 15,814 boxes; state, new, full cream, special, 13½a14¼c.; small, colored, fancy, 13¾c.; large, colored, fancy, 13¼c.; small, white, fancy, 13¾c.; common to good, 10a12½c.; skims, full to specials, 2a11¼c.

EGGS—Irregular; receipts, 21,059 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 26a27c.; fair to choice, 23½a25c.; brown and mixed, fancy, 23½a24c.; fair to choice, 21½a23c.; western, extra firsts, 21½a22½c.; firsts, 20½a21c.; seconds, 19½a20c.; southern, best, 19½a20c.; undergrades, 16a19c.

POTATOES—New steady; old lower; state, old, per bbl. or 168 lb. bag, $2a2.50; western, old, per 180 lb. bag, $1.75a2.50; European, old, per 168 lb. bag, $2a2.25; Bermuda, new, per bbl., $4a5; southern, new, No. 1, per bbl., $2.50a3; seconds, $1.75a2; culls, $1.50a1.75; Texas, new, per small bag, $1a1.50; sweet, old, per basket, $2a2.50.

LIVE POULTRY—Steady; chickens, broilers, per lb., 22a24c.; fowls, 15a16c.; old roosters, 9½a10c.; turkeys, 13c.; ducks, 12c.; geese, 8a9c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Steady; broilers, nearby, fancy, squab, per pair, 40a50c.; 3 lbs. to pair, per lb., 24a28c.; western, dry picked, 18a22c.; scalded, 18a20c.; fowls, barrels, 15½c.; old roosters, 11c.; spring ducks, nearby, 16½a17c.; squabs, white, per doz., $2a3.50; frozen broilers, milk fed, fancy, per lb., 23a24c.; corn fed, fancy, 19a21c.; roasting chickens, milk fed, 23a25c.; corn fed, 18a22c.; geese, No. 1, 10a11c.

HAY AND STRAW—Easier; timothy, per hundred, 77½c.a$1; shipping, 72½a75c.; clover, mixed, 70a90c.; clover, 65a82½c.; long rye straw, $1.55; small bales, 2½a5c. less.

CALVES—Live veal calves, prime to choice, per 100 lbs., $8.50a8.75; common to good, $6a8.37; culls, $5a5.50; live calves, buttermilks, $4a4.50; grassers, $3.50; country dressed veal calves, prime, per lb., 10½a11c.; common to good, 8a10c.; buttermilk calves, 7a8c.

Attorneys.

I. McPHERSON, Attorney-at-Law. Offices a few doors North of Ward House. A general law business carefully transacted.

RODNEY A. MERCUR, Attorney-at-Law, and Solicitor of Patents. Particular attention paid to business in the Orphans Court, and to the settlement of estates Office in new Masonic Block, corner Main and Pine streets, Towanda, Pa.

WILLIAM MAXWELL, Attorney-at-Law, Towanda, Pa. Special attention given to Fire and Life Insurance litigation. Orphans' Court practice and settlement of estates. Office over Dayton's store.

Miscellaneous.

HIRAM E. BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

J. T. MARSDEN, Dentist. The Best Set of Teeth, $8; Gold Fillings, $1 and $2. All other fillings, 50c and 75c. Cleaning and Polishing Teeth, 50c; Teeth Extracted, 25c.

POWELL.

Mrs. William Andrews has returned from Laporte, where she has been caring for her son the past week.

Mrs. Gusta Mitchel of Plainsville, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. G. M. Wheeler.

Mrs. Brown and daughter, Gusta, of Laceyville, have been visiting relatives here a few days.

Several of the relatives of Minard Wilcox of Dushore, attended his birthday last week.

Miss Ethel Morse and Miss Elsie Schoonover started for Ocean Grove, N. J., Saturday, where they expect to spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Brown entertained their sister and niece of Athens last week.

Mrs .W. H. Gerould of Pittston, is spendnig a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allen.

ORWELL RIDGE.

The Epworth league will hold an ice cream social at the home of J. I. Eastman on Friday evening June 25. The public is cordially invited.

S. Beebe and Mrs. Docia Warner of LeRaysville, spent Sunday with friends on the Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Chaffee and daughter of Cold Creek spent Thursday last at E. D. Chaffee's.

Mrs. E. D. Chaffee, was calling in Rome on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ellis LaFrance and daughter Miss Vera and Miss Mary LeFrance of Meshoppen, spent last week with friends on the Ridge.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Pursuant to an order of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, the undersigned Trustee of the estate of Paul R. Pritchard, bankrupt, will sell at public sale free from all incumbrances on

Monday, June 21st, 1909,

on the premises, the following described real estate: All that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Athens, County of Bradford and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: On the North by lot No. 28; on the South by lot No. 42; on the East by Lewis street, and on the West by lot No. 40, and being lot No. 41 on the Sayre Heights Plot, Harris addition.

ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Athens aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the west line of Lewis street at the Northeast corner of lot No. 28; thence by the North line of same N. 81 degrees 28 minutes W. 144 feet to the east line of lot No. 28; thence by the east line of said lot N. 8 degrees 32 minutes E. 43 feet to the Southwest corner of lot No. 26; thence by the South line of same S. 81 degrees 28 minutes E. 144 feet to the west line of Lewis street; thence by the West line of Lewis street S. 8 degrees 32 minutes W. 43 feet to the aforesaid place of beginning, and being lot No. 27 on the Sayre Heights plot, Harris addition.

ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the Township of Athens, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Lewis street and Lawton avenue; thence by the South line of Lawton Ave., N. 81 degrees 28 minutes W. 144 feet to the Northeast corner of lot No. 29; thence by the east line of lot No. 29 S. 8 degrees 32 minutes W. 45 feet to the Northwest corner of lot No. 27; thence by the North line of the same S. 81 degrees 28 minutes E. 144 feet to the West line of Lewis street N. 8 degrees 32 minutes E. 45 feet to the place of beginning, and being lot No. 26 on the Sayre Heights plot, Harris addition.

ALSO bankrupt's undivided one-third interest in that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Sayre, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake 40 feet from South line of Sayre Heights plot on the East side of Summit street; thence northerly along east side of Summit street 175 feet to a stake, being the S. W. corner of lands of Johnston; thence easterly along said Johnston's line 48 feet to a stake at corner; thence Southerly on a line parallel with East line of Summit street, 117 feet to a stake or corner; thence Westerly 48 feet to the place of beginning; said lot being No. 100 in a plot of lots known as Sayre Heights plot, Harris addition.

All lots improved with framed dwelling houses thereon.

Terms of sale: 25 per cent. cash on the day of sale. Balance on confirmation of the sale. 7jun2t

N. V. WELLER, Trustee.

Application in Divorce.

To Thomas W. Nichol. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford, No. 230, February term, 1909. You are hereby notified that Esther Nichol, your wife has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said Court has appointed Monday, July 12,1909, at the Court House in Towanda, for hearing the said Esther in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.

Towanda, Pa., June 17, 1909.-4t

Application in Divorce.

To Mae Terwilliger. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford, No. 79, May Term, 1909. You are hereby notified that James W. Terwilliger, your husband, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said Court has appointed Monday, July 12,1909, at the Court House in Towanda, for hearing the said James W. in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.

Towanda, Pa., June 17, 1909.-4t

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, Charles Henri Lane of Towanda Borough, Bradford County, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said court at Scranton, in said District, on the eighth day of July, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

EDWARD R. W. SEARLE, Clerk.

June 17.-2t.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Harry L. Sturdevant deceased, late of Tuscarora Township, Bradford county, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

CHAS. M. CANFIELD

May 24, 1909-d1-w4t Administrator

WARREN CENTER.

There was a light frost Saturday morning.

Children's day was observed here last Sunday morning at the Free Baptist church and at the M. E. church in the evening. Notwithstanding the rain there was a good attendance and much credit is due the children for so fine a rendering of the program.

Mrs. G. N. Bowen celebrated her birthday last Wednesday by inviting a few friends to take dinner with her.

Rev. W. H. Eklers will preach at the Free Baptist church next Sunday, June 17, at 11 o'clock. Do not miss hearing him.

Mrs. Mary Ann Thomas is very low with little hopes of her recovery.

Miss Mayme Chaffee recently spent a week here with her parents.

SOUTH HILL.

There will be an ice cream social given by the Ladies of this place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Eastabrooks on the eve of June 30th all come and have a good old fashioned time.

Mrs. Alfred Langherity was visiting her sister, Mrs. Lewis Allis, last Thursday.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business April 28, 1909:

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$ 805,774.89
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	364.65
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	125,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand	250.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	5,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc	154,047.58
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	47,000.00
Other real estate owned	11,050.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	14,509.33
Due from State Banks and Bankers	5,539.10
Due from approved reserve agents	151,071.01
Checks and other cash items	4,586.85
Notes of other National Banks	3,085.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	184.15
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie $41,872.00	
Legal-tender notes 23,450.00	65,322.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. redemption fund	6,250.00
Total	$1,399,034.56

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000.00
Surplus fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	26,925.87
National Bank notes outstanding	123,000.00
Due to othe rNational Banks	2,780.22
Dividends unpaid	20.00
Individual deposit subject to check	322,006.58
Demand certificates of deposit	694,104.15
Certified checks	50.03
Cashier's checks outstanding	5,147.71
Total	$1,399,034.56

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,
COUNTY OF BRADFORD, ss:

I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of April, 1909.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—*Attest:*
GEO. W. KIPP,
R. H. LANING,
J. H. YEAGER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, April 28th, 1909:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 596,545.99
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	137.61
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	150,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	5,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc	321639.13
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	30,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	5,834.46
Due from State Banks and Bankers	18,301.43
Due from approved reserve agents	107,485.03
Checks and other cash items	5,204.79
Notes of other National Banks	1,865.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	425.14
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie $34,595.45	
Legal-tender notes 16,630.00	51,325.45
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation	7,500.00
Total	$1,301,264.03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000.00
Surplus fund	55,000.00
Undivded profits, less expenses and taxes paid	16,592.49
National Bank notes outstanding	150,000.00
Due to other National Banks	7,436.48
Dividends unpaid	12.00
Individual deposit subject to check	281,844.89
Demand certificates of deposit	639,934.76
Certified checks	79.99
Cashier's checks outstanding	363.42
Total	$1,301,264.03

STATE OF PENN

WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER

Wayne Towner.

Wayne Towner, who for 23 years was a resident of Sayre, died at Waverly shortly after midnight Saturday, June 19, having lived there for the last two years. He had been ill for a long time and death was due to a complication of diseases. He was born on July 17, 1848, at Rome, this county, and on April 1, 1866, married Miss Eliza Collins of Litchfield, who survives him. He had a long and honorable war record. In 1862, when only 14 years of age, he enlisted in the Pennsylvania State militia and served three months. As soon as he received his discharge he went to Illinois, and enlisted in the Second Illinois Volunteer Cavalry and served until taken ill and was in the hospital at Baton Rouge for a long time, finally receiving his discharge. He returned home, recovered his health and then enlisted in the 185th New York Volunteers but was later transferred to the Fifth New York Zouaves and served until the end of the war, being with Grant at Appomattox. After the close of the war he was stationed until August, in 1865, at Hart's Island, being in charge of Confederate prisoners until he received his final discharge. In 1884 he moved to Sayre and for a number of years conducted a grocery store on Cayuta street. Two years ago he moved to Waverly. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Paul W. Towner of Waverly, and Austin of Washington, D. C., and one daughter, Harriet, who lives at home. Two brothers, Martin L. Towner of Rochester, Minn., and Joseph W. Towner of Los Angeles, Cal. and one sister, Mrs. C. C. Gore of Portland, Oregon, also survive him. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon from his home in Waverly; interment was in Glenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Lucena B. Ballard.

Mrs. Lucent Bailey Ballard, who had been a resident of Troy since 1883, died quite suddenly Wednesday morning, June 16, at her home in that village, aged 68 years and nine months. Though enfeebled by the ills of advancing years her condition did not become immediately alarming until on Tuesday. Mrs. Ballard was widely known and esteemed. She was born in Connecticut and came to Bradford county with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bailey, while a young girl. Her husband, Shepard Ballard, died 11 years ago. Three children survive, Dix A. Ballard and Mrs. A. T. Parke of Troy, and Ray S. Ballard of Washington, Pa. The funeral was held from the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. H. B. Allen officiating; interment was made in Oak Hill cemetery, Troy.

Austin Martin.

Austin Martin, a highly respected resident of Wysox township, died at his home at Myersburg Wednesday evening at 10:30 o'clock. He was born in Wysox township 60 years ago, the son of the late Joseph Martin, a well known resident of that township. For nearly ten years deceased lived in Towanda and conducted the restaurant at the corner of Main and Washington streets, returning to Wysox some time ago. He was well liked by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife and two sisters, Mrs. John Abbott of Elmira, and Mrs. Charles Casper of Athens. The funeral was held Saturday morning at 8 o'clock at the Myersburg church and interment will be made in the Wysox cemetery.

Justus Watkins.

Justus Watkins, well known in Western Bradford, died at his home near Austinville Sunday morning, June 13. He was upwards of 70 years old. Mr. Watkins was a broad minded, public spirited man. Thoroughly conversant with current issues and events, he took deep interest in men and measures. In later life he affiliated with the People's Party and was named as a candidate for state office on that ticket. He was a good citizen and highly esteemed. Three children, two brothers and one sister, Mrs. Charles L. Strait of East St. Louis, Ill., survive him. The funeral was held from the home on Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. Emma E. Bailey of the Mansfield Universalist church, officiating.

Jason P. Carey.

Jason P. Carey, a veteran of the Seventh Maryland volunteers in the Civil War, who has resided in Milan the past 20 years, died Friday morning, June 18, at 2 o'clock. He had suffered many years from a wound received at Hatcher's Run, Va., which had made him helpless, and from which he died. He was a member of Perkins Post, G. A. R., and they had charge of his funeral which took place from his late residence Sunday, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Tioga Point cemetery.

Ira Pratt.

Ira Pratt died Thursday night June 17, at the home of Ira Tozer, Willawanna after a brief illness. The deceased had been for many years a resident of that section and Thursday celebrated his 76th birthday. He leaves one son, Herbert Pratt of West Sayre.

Hazel V. Horton.

Hazel Vera Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elislia J. Horton died at the family home at Lestershire on June 22, aged 2 months. Funeral Wednesday at 2 o'clock; interment at Floral Park cemetery. The family formerly lived in Towanda.

Montrose Man Dead.

Thomas A. Davies of Montrose, one of the most prominent attorneys in Northern Pennsylvania, who was stricken with apoplexy while dining in the Lewis house in Gibson, Pa., a week ago, died Saturday morning. The remains were taken to Montrose for burial.

L. D. Leach.

The remains of L. D. Leach, who died in the south a few months ago where he had gone for his health, were brought to this place last week and interred in the Gaylord plot in the village cemetery.—Wyalusing Rocket.

John T. Kenrick.

John T. Kenrick, for many years a resident of Towanda, where he was well and favorably known, died Sunday night at 9:30 o'clock at his home in Sayre, after a long illness. He had been a sufferer with diabetes for many years, but only during the past few weeks had he been compelled to give up active work. Deceased was born on a farm on Plank Road street, near Towanda, 43 years ago, the son of the late Thomas Kenrick. His boyhood and youth were spent on the home farm, and about 20 years ago he engaged in the restaurant business on Park street, in Towanda, his partner being Peter J. Allen, and their place the Park restaurant, now conducted by John H. Heavener. Allen & Kenrick, as the firm was known, built up a fine business, which they continued for about 18 years, when they dissolved partnership, Mr. Kenrick going to Sayre about three years ago, where he has since resided. He was of a genial disposition, of sterling integrity, and numbered his friends by the score all of whom will sincerely regret that he is no more. He was a member of the A. O. H., the C. M. B. A. and the Improved Order of Red Men. He is survived by his wife and six children, John, Francis, Thomas, Mary Eugenia and Ida, all of whom live at home, and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Lynch of Metcong, N. J., and Mrs. Johanna McDonald of Sayre. The funeral was held on Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock at the Church of the Epiphany at Sayre, after which the body was brought to Towanda on passenger train No. 8.

Joseph Hockstaffe.

Joseph Hockstaffe died at his home in Horn Brook, Wednesday June 16, at two o'clock in the afternoon, after three months illness of heart trouble. The direct cause of his death was due to a stroke of paralysis, which came upon him Tuesday morning at six o'clock. Deceased was 62 years old, born in Germany in the year 1847, coming to this country when about 30 years of age. In Horn Brook where for about 25 years Mr. Hockstaffe has resided, there are many who will recall with kindliest memories, this genial warm hearted neighbor and friend. His kindly nature made friends of all with whom he was associated. To these and to all who knew him, his death will bring sincere and abiding sorrow. He is survived by his wife and one son Edwin Hockstaffe. Funeral services were held at the Catholic church at Ulster, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, and were largely attended, Rev. Micheal O'Rourke of Athens, conducted mass, and preached an excellent sermon, paying high tribute to the life of the deceased. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at Ulster.

Mrs. Philip Duhlstine.

Mrs. Philip Duhlstine died at the home of her son George Duhlstine at 11:12 o'clock Saturday night June 19, from a complication of diseases at the age of fifty eight years. She leaves besides her husband, a daughter, and four sons, William, Philip, George and John all but the last of whom are residents of Sayre. She is also survived by a brother and sister living in Wilkes-Barre. Funeral services were held at the house, 257 Spring street at 1 o'clock Wednesday and from the Lutheran church at 2 o'clock; interment in Tioga Point cemetery.

E. H. Barnes.

Erskew Herbert Barnes of Sugar Hill, died at the home of his daughter at Wilkes-Barre Sunday morning June 20, at the age of 59 years, the cause of his death being nephritis. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Elida Willoughby, Reuben, Stanley, Richard and Fred, and the following brothers and sisters: C. R. Barnes of Sugar Run, Oscar of Lovelton, and Mrs. G. W. Fassett. The remains were brought to Wyalusing on Tuesday morning and taken to Quicks Bend where the funeral was held and interment made.

Newton A. Graham.

Newton A. Graham, formerly of Athens, aged seventy two years, a resident of Forest Grove Ore., for the last fifteen years, died suddenly while moving hay into his barn June 14. He had sold his farm a mile east of town and had reserved the crop. The weather indicating rain, he was anxious to get the hay in the barn, and having heart trouble from senility over exerted himself and died from exhaustion. He was born in Massachusetts and leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Rostall of Portland.—Daily Oregonian.

Mrs. Helen Partridge Tracy.

Mrs. Helen Partridge, wife of Hal P. Tracy, formerly of East Smithfield, but for the past 21 years a resident of Dale, North Dakota, passed peacefully away on the evening of June 12 at St. Luke's hopsital, Aberdeen, South Dakota, after almost four weeks of intense suffering. She was conscious until the last and sent messages of love and good-bye to family, friends and neighbors, also to relatives and friends back home. She leaves eight children ranging from three months to twenty years of age.

Dr. Levi Morse.

Word has been received announcing the death of Dr. Levi Morse, a former resident of Athens, and brother of George W. Morse of that place which occurred at his home in Tavares, Fla. The body will be brought to Athens for interment in Tioga Point cemetery

CODDING.

Those who visited at G. W. McClelland's Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Gray and children of Canton, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Forrest and daughter Leila of Towanda and H. L. McClelland and neice Martha Hiney of Ulster.

Mrs. Philetus Campbell of Bourne, was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jay Wakely, one day last week.

Some of the farmers in this vicinity are selling their separated cream at Troy.

LATE LOCAL BREVITIES.

Short Paragraphs Gathered in and About the County.

J. W. Keating is home from a visit in Boston.

E. H. Farrar was over from Orwell on Saturday.

M. C. Allen of Burlington, was in Towanda Saturday.

Miss Bertha Buttles of Rome, is visiting friends in Towanda.

Miss Gertrude Holmes is visiting Miss Nellie Kintner at Buffalo.

Miss Margaret Grace of Dushore, is the guest of Miss Nellie Ochs.

The Misses Nellie Ochs and Virginia Frost are spending the day in Elmira.

Arthur P. Watson is able to be out after a week's illness with the measles.

Miss Nellie Kuykendall of Windham, is a guest at the home of George S. Russell.

C. R. Curtis of Wyalusing, was transacting business in Towanda on Saturday.

A horse belonging to Frank Drislane dropped dead on Bridge street Saturday night.

J. Clifford Rogers of Wilkes-Barre, spent Saturday in Towanda the guest of friends.

Towanda has enough hotels to care for all the people in the county for three days.

Miss Harriet Obenauer and Edna Fairchild have returned from a visit in Scranton.

J. P. Corcoran of New Albany, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. L. Sullivan, Locust avenue.

Miss Alice Betts has returned from Mount Holyoke where she attended commencement.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maloney of Geneva, are visiting relatives and friends in Towanda.

Mrs. A. G. Mason and daughter of West Pittston, are spending a season at Lake Wesaukins.

Gee, but there will be some doings in Towanda on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Miss Lillian Stowell of Spokane, Wash. is the guest of Mrs. James Lewis, William street.

Some men are proud because they have made a name and some because they have married one.

It is expected that 20,000 strangers will be in Towanda on Friday the second old home day.

Mrs. Belva Lockwood, one time famous in American politics, is to visit Owego in a short time.

W. C. Stevens and J. C. Gorham of LeRaysville, were transacting business in Towanda Monday.

There will be a good time for everybody in Towanda on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Misses Sarah and Jennie Billings of Tunkhannock, are guests of their cousin, Miss Lillian Russell.

Don't forget that there will be two big bands to furnish music for the firemens' parade on Friday.

Mrs. Frank Wheaton and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, are on an extended visit with relatives in Buffalo.

Come to Towanda on Thursday of this week and stay until Sunday—stay for ever if you want to.

Mrs. Walter B. Horton has returned to her home in Quarry Glen after a visit with relatives in Athens.

Miss Sarah Mercur goes to Binghamton today where she will be the guest of Mrs. Harry Harkness.

Mrs. B. W. Wilcox and Mrs. Leon Wilcox of New Albany, were shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

The Misses Emma and Minnie Hakes of Evergreen are the guests of their cousin, Martha McNeal.

Miss Helen Prince of Towanda, is spending a few days in town as the guest of Miss Alta Prince.—Athens News.

Mrs. Delos Rockwell of West Burlington, is spending a few days with her brother, A. C. Blackwell, Chestnut street.

Mrs. B. C. Kethline has returned to her home in Tunkhannock after a visit at the home of Mrs. James Lewis of William street.

John J. Spalding and granddaughter, Elizabeth Moore, of Waverly, start on Thursday for Chicago, where they will visit Dr. John Spalding.

Make it a point, you people of Bradford county, to gather at Towanda on Thursday and stay until Sunday, or longer if you want to.

James J. Jefferies, the retired champion heavy weight pugilist of the world will box six rounds in Binghamton on the evening of June 30.

Remember that there are enough hotels in Towanda to supply the great crowd which will be here on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Miss Susie Smith and Mrs. Neal McNamara and son Carl have returned home from Overton, where they were the guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Shaffer.

Miss Catherine Murphy of Myersburg, has returned to her home after a week's visit in Towanda, the guest of her cousins, the Misses Margaret and Helen Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wurtenberg of Brooklyn, are occupying their Summer home in Wysox, and Mrs. Wurtenberg's mother and sister are spending the Summer with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rockwell have gone to Cambridge, Mass., to attend the commencement exercises of Harvard University, their son, Fred Rockwell, being a member of the Graduating class.

Carl Patterson of Towanda, is one of the students at the University of Pennsylvania, to be awarded a certificate of proficiency for work during the past year. Mr. Patterson is pursuing a course in civil engineering.

John Crimmins, a graduate of St. Agnes high school, also Prof. Cronk's Towanda Business college has gone to Lucas, Kansas, to visit his uncle, after which he will go to Kansas City, where he has a good position as stenographer.

Mrs. Stella Ward of New York, is spending the Summer with her sister, Mrs. Wurtenberg, at Wysox. Her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Ward, also of New York, are at present in Paris and will take a two month's course of study at the Conservatory of Music there, after which they will spend a month in Switzerland.

MARRIAGE RECORD

Blish—Sheridan.

Miss Nora Sheridan, daughter of the late David Sheridan of Towanda, and Samuel Blish, one of the best known young men in Sayre, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the parochial residence in Ithaca, by Rev. Father Harrington. Frank Gould of Groton, N. Y., acted as groomsman and Miss Ellen Sheridan of Ithaca, a sister of the bride acted as maid of honor. After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Annie Sheridan in Ithaca. The luncheon was served by Allenger, the Ithaca caterer and present were the immediate relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Blish and the members of the Xantippe Club of Ithaca. Mr. Blish was formerly a member of the firm of Murphy & Blish of Sayre. He went there 12 years ago and for a time was a clerk for the Lehigh and then for several years he managed the Sayre branch of Maney & Page's clothing store. Later he formed a partnership with F. P. Murphy and they conducted a clothing business until about two years ago when the firm dissolved. He is now employed as a bond salesman by the Trowbridge & Niver Company of Chicago and is achieving success in that calling. Mr. Blish is prominent in the Masonic fraternity, and is a member of the B. P. O. E. The bride also formerly resided in Sayre going from Towanda to that place. During the two years she lived in Sayre she was employed as a telephone operator and recently has been employed in the central telephone station at Ithaca. Both Mr. and Mrs. Blish have many friends in this valley who will wish them a happy and prosperous future.

Hunsinger—Pennell.

At four o'clock Thursday afternoon June 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Pennell on Mechanic street Towanda, their daughter Frances Louise was married to Herbert J. Hunsinger. The house was beautifully decorated. In the parlor the young couple stood under an arch of white Syrenga. Roses were the predominant flowers in the dining room, while white daisies were very much in evidence throughout the rest of the house Rev. Dr. E. M. Mills, pastor of the contracting parties, officiated, using the impressive service of the Methodist Episcopal church. Twenty sat down to the wedding supper. Miss Mary Pennell the sister of the bride was the maid of honor while the best man was Howard Hunsinger brother of the groom. The great number of presents evidenced the popularity of Mr. and Mrs. Hunsinger. They left on the night train for Philadelphia. Their many friends are glad that they are to make their home in Towanda. Among the guests from out of town were Mrs. D. J. Hunsinger, Howard Hunsinger and Ezra Hunsinger of Athens, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Jarvis of Potterville, and Mrs. Charles Harshbarger of Waverly.

Henry—VanDemark.

Irvin Henry and Miss Eva VanDemark were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanDemark, on Sugar Hill on Wednesday June 9, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. E. E. Barker of Wyalusing at high noon. The ceremony was performed under an arch of evergreens trimmed in pink and white flowers, and the bride looked exceedingly charming in a gown of white crepe-de-chene, French style, trimmed in white silk braid. She carried a boquet of bridal roses and maidenhair ferns. The bridesmaid was Miss Irmal Baker, who was attired in pink Paris lawn. The best man was Mr. Loren VanDemark, a cousin of the bride. Mrs. Alice Jackson played the wedding march. After the ceremony came a wedding dinner to which the guests did ample justice. The bride and groom came to Wyalusing and took the evening train south on the Lehigh Valley for a short wedding journey, and on their return from which they will make their home on Sugar Hill where Mr. Henry is the owner of a fine farm.

Cain—Collins.

Miss Mame Collins, daughter of Mrs. Michael Collins and Michael Cain, formerly from Ridgebury, but who have both lived in Elmira for some time, were married in St. Joseph's church at Athens Wednesday morning June 16, at 9:30 o'clock by Rev. M. F. O'Rourke in the presence of a large number of friends, Miss Nora A. Collins, sister of the bride, and J. C. Horigan, of Elmira, attended them. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents and Thursday the bride and groom left via the Erie, for a trip to New York and points in that vicinity. The groom is an electrical worker employed at Elmira, and on their return from the city they will make their home on Court street, Elmira.

Dunfee—Mapes.

Edward J. Dunfee and Miss Lillian Mapes, two Laquin's best known and most estimable young people, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony on Wednesday, June 16. The ceremony was performed at high noon by Rev. W. P. Miller, pastor of the North Towanda Methodist Episcopal church in the presence of only the immediate families of the contracting parties. After the ceremony an excellent wedding dinner was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Dunfee departed for a wedding trip to New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic city. On their return they will reside at Laquin, where Mr. Dunfee holds the responsible position of station agent for the S. & N. Y. They have many friends who extend congratulations and best wishes.

Roff—Chambers.

Horace Roff, Mansfield's star base ball pitcher, and Miss Mary Chambers of Arnot, were married on Tuesday evening June 8, at the M. E. parsonage in Mansfield by the Rev. A. W. Fenton.

Hon. B. L. Winters Engaged.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Reynold's of Syracuse have announced the engagement of their daughter, Susan F. Reynolds to Hon. Byran Lee Winters of Waverly.

Bevan—Weaver.

Miss Eleanor Gertrude Weaver, formerly a nurse in the Hobert Packer hospital, was married to Dr. Daniel L. Bevan of LeRoy, Pa., at 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, June 16, at the home of her parents in Sayre. On account of the illness of the mother of the bride the wedding was a quiet one and only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present. The officiating clergyman was Rev. M. W. Williams, pastor of the First M. E. church of Athens. Immediately after the ceremony a wedding dinner was served, after which Dr. and Mrs. Bevan left for a short wedding trip. On their return they will go to LeRoy, where the groom has a large practice in his chosen profession of medicine. The bride was graduated from the Packer hospital in the class of 1904, and then took a post-graduate course in nursing at the Floting hospital in Boston. She is an exceptionally capable nurse and has had a wide experience in that work. Dr. Bevan was graduated from the S. C. I. at Towanda and then from the Mansfield Normal. Having prepared for teaching he had charge of a school for two years and then decided to study medicine. He was graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Baltimore in the class of 1907, and immediately began the practice of his profession at LeRoy. Both the bride and groom have many friends in this vicinity who will wish them a happy and prosperous future.

O'Rourke—Coyle.

The marriage of Francis O'Rourke of Little Falls, N. Y., and Miss Rora Coyle of Sugar Run, was solemnized Wednesday morning, June 2, at 9:30 o'clock at St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church, Stowell, by Rev. Fr. O'Donnell. The bridal pair was attended by Miss Kathryn Coyle and Mr. John O'Rourke. The bride was charmingly gowned in blue silk, with picture hat to match. She is a lady highly respected and for several years past has been one of Bradford county's most successful teachers. The groom, a former resident of Bradford county, is at present located at Little Falls, N. Y. He is a man of high reputation and standing throughout that community. After spending a few weeks visiting at Buffalo, Chicago and the West, they will return to Little Falls, where a nicely furnished home awaits them.

Wilson—Cummings.

Towanda friends have received cards which read: "Mr. and Mrs. James Dougher announce the marriage of their daughter, Anna Josephine Cummings, to John Volney Wilson, on Wednesday, June 16, 1909, Dorchester, Mass." Mr. Wilson, is a Towanda boy who has been located in Dorchester for a number of years, holding the responsible position of manager of a large store. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, formerly of Towanda, now residents of Elmira. He has many friends here who will be interested in the announcement of his marriage.

Downs—Wright

William "Peg" Downs, the famous Norte Dame halfback, who was the brightest star in many football battles played by the once great Athens team, on Wednesday morning, June 16, at Jersey Shore, married Miss Theresa Wright of that place. Thomas McAvoy, also a former Notre Dame halfback who chummed in college with Downs was best man. William Downs is the youngest of two famous players who lived in Sayre several years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Downs will reside in Jersey Shore where Mr. Downs is employed by the New York Central Railroad company.

Marriage Announcement.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Ethel Genevieve MacAlpin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. MacAlpin, of Bradford, Pa., to Wilton St. John Hall, of Waverly, on Wednesday, June 30th. The ceremony will take place in the First Baptist church at Bradford, at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Hall is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen C. Hall, and is secretary of the Hall & Lyon Furniture Co., of Waverly. The young people will be at home to their friends at No. 8 Orchard street, Waverly, after August 16th.

Invitations Issued.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Stephen C. Hall of Waverly for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Marie Josephine Hall to Luther Bentley Adams. The marriage will be solemnized on June 26 at the first Presbyterian church. Mr. Adams is teacher of Greek in the Peddie Institute at Heightstown, N. J.

Bissell—Garrison.

Announcements have been received of the wedding of Miss Georgia Ellen Garrison, daughter of Mrs. Mary D. Garrison and Carl Hillyear Bissell of Syracuse, on June 17. They will reside on Slocum avenue, Syracuse. The bride is a daughter of C. P. Garrison, at one time superintendent of the Towanda public schools.

Ward—Jackson.

Married at the Methodist parsonage in Owego, Wednesday, June 16, by Rev. L. D. Palmer. Mr. William F. Ward of Nichols, N. Y., to Miss Martha V. Jackson of North Orwell, Pa.

Wines—Ossman.

Job Wines and Stella Ossman of Union, Tioga county, were married on Thursday, June 17, at Troy by Justice of the Peace W. S. Holland.

Horton—Bayles.

Charles B. Horton of Harrisburg, and Mrs. F. H. Bayles of Sewickley, Pa., were quietly married at the home of the bride on Thursday June 17. Mrs. W. T. Horton and Miss Nan L. Horton of Towanda, attended the ceremony.

Hollenbeck—Thurber.

Wayne J. Hollenbeck, a former Athens boy, who was identified with the orchestra and band at that place several years ago, has just been married to miss Anna May Thurber of Elmira, and they will make their home in that city.

Lambertson—Cahill.

Married—At 164 Temple street, Owego, Saturday, June 19, by Rev. J. R. Allen, William Lambertson of Sayre, and Mrs. Betsy Ann Cahill of Owego.

LITCHFIELD.

Miss Ione Munn of Sayre, is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lurcock.

Mrs. Edward Vought of Ghent, is visiting at John Gable's a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones are visiting their parents at Grover and LeRoy.

Fred Japhet and Miss Nettie Stauff spent Sunday afternoon at James Drake's and attended the children's day exercises in the evening.

There will be an ice cream social at Joseph Evans' July 1. Everybody come.

Mrs. E. O. Lunger and children Walter, Earl, and Julia are visiting at J. E. Lunger's and other friends a few days. E. O. Lunger spent Saturday night and Sunday with them.

Mrs. Frank Vought and daughter Ethel of Hornbrook visited at Floyd Campbells Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Lavina Morse of Athens, has returned home after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Nancy Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meade and son Stuart of Athens, visited at G. F. Rockwell's Sunday.

John Barr of Mt. Pleasant, visited Niles Barr Sunday afternoon and attended the children's day exercises in the evening.

SAYLES.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boyce and son Shirley were visiting at Simeon Case's at West Burlington Sunday.

Miss Delilah McKeal, who has been working at Saco for a long time, is home for a week.

Frank Steele of Wellsboro, Mrs. George Allen of Mt. Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Steele of South Burlington, were guests of their sister, Mrs. Frank Cary, Sunday.

Bruce McNeal of West Franklin, and Miss Edith Cary of Sayles, were married Wednesday, June 16, at Binghamton by Rev. John W. Phillips.

Will Anderson and sister Miss Nellie Anderson of Franklindale, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodin Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Parkhurst and son Walter of Kelly Hill, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Volney Simpson.

Mrs. Alvina McKean, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McKean, and Ethel and Willie Coon attended the Spencer reunion at Abe Spencer's at Fairview Wednesday.

BURLINGTON.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Yerdon and baby of Forksville, are spending the week with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lewis of Saco, visited his brother, Will Lewis, and wife last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenough of Bethlehem, are visiting the lady's mother, Mrs. Charles Patterson.

Mrs. Bell McDonald is spending the week with friends in Elmira.

Charles Schworer of Wilmot recently visited a few days with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Schworer.

Mrs. S. K. Ros of East Troy, visited her son, D. A. Ross, and family, a few days last week.

Mrs. Abba Herrington is visitng her son in Towanda and will attend the old people's day.

Elmer Dickinson is now running an auto buggy for mail delivery. The rig is attracting much favorable attention.

Mrs. Hannah Swingle and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Campbell spent the past week in Philadelphia and Jersey City.

SHORES HILL.

Chas K. Post of Sayre, was calling on friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gard spent Saturday at Allan Schraeder's Highland.

Born June 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Brown, a daughter, Catherine Irma.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown spent Sunday with their daughter at Highland.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Price of Scranton, are visiting relatives here.

TYRRELL.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Easterbrook and grandson visited at C. V. Prince's on Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Phillips is very ill with pleurisy. Dr. Williams is attending her.

Miss Lillian Wilbur was called home by the illness of her sister.

Grace Morris of Orwell, is assisting Mrs. L. B. Phillips with her housework.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lunn of Athens, spent last week with the lady's sister, Mrs. Edwin Bowen.

Capacity Increased.

A steam turbine engine and a 300 kilowatt electrical generator have been added to the lighting plant at Sayre. The turbine will be driven by the exhaust steam from the regular engine, and it in turn will drive the generator, thus increasing the capacity of the plant by about 20 per cent.

No A seminary class president does not always make a cook.

No boy can expect to live up to his mother's expectations.

The "best man" at the wedding of course is the fellow who escapes.

Truth that contains a sting had better remain unspoken.

Man's face will often tell the truth when his lips are lying.

Small ads pay

Base Ball Briefs

Phatties Are Willing.

A meeting of Meredith's Phatties, a baseball team composed of Towanda ball players all weighing over 200 pounds, was held on the fair grounds yesterday afternoon, at which time the following resolution was adopted: "Whereas, it has pleased the Fat Men of Sayre, this county, this state, to challenge us, the Notorious Phatties of Towanda, better known as the City of Promise near the dam site, to a game of baseball; Therefore be it resolved, and it is hereby resolved, that we the afore mentioned Phatties of Towanda, do hereby and hereunto agree to play the Fat Men of Sayre two games of baseball, one at Towanda and the other at Sayre, and may the trouble never end. Be it further resolved that the games will be played any day but Saturday or Sunday. Further be it resolved and made known that it is unfortunate that the Fat Men of Sayre should invite unto themselves such a fate which is surely in store, but it cannot be helped at this late hour. They are doomed to a baseball drubbing, and will be made very sorry that they ever challenged the Phatties of the county metropolis." The foregoing resolution was adopted by a vote of 5—4, some of the members of the team, saying; "no; let's spare 'em," between sobs and moans.

Wyalusing Wallops New Albany.

The Wyalusing baseball team gave the New Albany team a severe drubbing at Wyalusing on Saturday, the score being 17-5. New Albany's five runs were made through the work of Develin and Elmer McCracken of Towanda, who were playing with them. In the sixth inning with three men on bases, Develin smashed out a three bagger, cleaning the bases. He afterwards stole home, making four runs. Then McCracken smashed out a bouble, and was let in by Develin on a two base hit. Those were the only runs the New Albany boys negotiated.

Towanda High too Fast for Waverly.

The Towanda high school team proved too fast for the Waverly high school team on Saturday at Waverly, downing them by the score of 4-3. Towanda led by the score of 4-0 until the eighth inning. Ingham pitched for Towanda and held the Waverly boys safe at every stage of the game. Gard did the catching. Kennedy and Velvet were in the points for Waverly. There was a large attendance, and the Towanda players say that Waverly people and the Waverly players treated them royally.

Ulster Smothers Milltown.

The strong Ulster baseball team at that place Saturday afternoon smothered the Milltown team, the score being 18-3. The visitors were simply outclassed by the Ulster aggregation.

VanGorder, late of the Elmira State league team, is pitching for Athens.

The Athens team is claimed to be much stronger than the Sayre shop team of last season.

Max Cranmer, late of the Shamokin Atlantic league team, is playing first and pitching for the Ulster team.

James Mahaney and James Lynch of the Sayre shop team, have gone to Willard, N. Y., where they will play with the State hospital team.

Christy Matthewson, the famous New York Giant pitcher, who is a graduate of Bucknell, will go back to Lewisburg to pitch for a team of grads against the regular varsity nine of which "Jake" Northrup of Monrocton is captain and star pitcher. The city papers say that Bucknell, under Northrup is a stronger team than when the mighty Matthewson was twirling for them.

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REAL EDUCATION.

In this age of special legislation, limited and narrowed to fit the student for some particular field of activity, there is always danger that technical training will be emphasized at the expense of culture in the humanities. Attorney General Wickersham in his speech at Lehigh University the other day pointed out the danger in compelling language and held up as an ideal to the graduates of this great engineering school the pursuit of an education that will make them "not merely engineers, but educated gentlemen."

Mr. Wickersham showed beyond successful contradiction that it is impossible for a man to be a great engineer if he neglect the broader culture which deals with the finest thought of the great writers, logicians and philosophers of all ages. He gave pertinent point to his contention when he said:

Almost without exception, the great men whose names have been written large in the history of science were men of broad culture, often almost as proficient in literature and art as in science. The versatile Franklin, the all-wise Humboldt, the accomplished Bunsen and the cultured Priestley are illustrations of the fact that mere technical education alone has never secured the first rank in the life of the community.

The epic tales of Homer, the Divine Comedy of Dante, the logic of Aristotle, the human drama of Shakespeare, all teach the lesson of human life, in the knowledge of which is to be found power to comprehend and help and guide and lead men, which is the supremest accomplishment of man.

The constant danger to the man of science who neglects the broader education, which made these men not only great in science but "often almost as proficient in literature and art," is that if they neglect the humanities during their college life the practice of their profession after graduation will so absorb their time and energies that they will have little leisure for the deeper culture that makes a man not merely an engineer, a chemist, or a metallurgist, but capable of renewing his mental vigor by communing with those minds which have left an indelible impress upon the world.

OH, SO TRUTHFUL.

Says one of our esteemed contemporaries: The editor of a local paper is often unjustly censured for his mistakes. The wonder is that he does not make more of them. On the average paper he must deal with all kinds of subjects, give the names, dates, etc. One hour he may be engaged in reporting a religious meeting and the next drawing the picture of a fight. He must condense and fill with its items several columns, whether events are transpiring to throw up material for his use or not. Count the local items in a paper and imagine how many steps they have required, how much mental anxiety, worry and work they have cost and some idea of the editor's work can be gathered. The smallest may have cost him a long walk and much effort to reach the facts. There is no end to his work.

"When one paper goes to press he turns his attention to the next one. He makes the rounds in search of news and may not get a line. From some he must get news without their knowing it, drawing them into conversation and obtaining what he wants in sections. He may labor for hours in chasing down a rumor only to find that there is nothing in it. His local columns stare him in the face and demand to be filled not with skim milk but with cream of the news events and matters of interest.

"His bounds are limited and yet he must find in each day and all through the week, month and year something of interest to the public. No more perfect treadmill could be devised. With such a constant strain, producing weariness of the body and mind and almost endless variety of subjects to be touched upon, it is surprising that he should occasionally make a mistake? Other people do, why shouldn't an editor?"

This paper like other newspapers, is often asked to "tear some one up the back," as some people term a roast, and invariably we suggest to the solicitor that they write out what they have to say about the other fellow, have it printed like a hand bill or circular letter, and with the writer's name attached hire some boys to distribute the roast or "tearing up the back" article. Nine out of ten, who are asked to take this means of airing their grievances will show the white feather, and if it is a business man he will say "it will hurt my business." The other fellow always hase plenty of excuses. Some people will never learn, it seems, that a newspaper is not calculated to be a sewer through which the citizen or its editor shall pour venom, but it should be the purpose of every real newspaper to serve the people as an educator both in the giving of news and in just criticism of public matters that are conducted in such a manner as to merit public approval.

Let every business man decorate his place of business and be ready for the gathering hosts on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

CORRUPTING THE PRIMARIES

It took a good deal of effort to get the uniform primary system enacted into the law of the land, and it is evident it is going to take a good deal more to enforce the law and keep the primary ballot box uncorrupted. But it is well worth the trouble to do it, for an honest ballot is fundamental in our government, and without it government cannot exist. So we must have an honest primary and an honest general election, no matter what it costs. The most flagrant frauds at the last primary election, on June 5, were in the city of Philadelphia and in Lackawanna and Schuylkill counties. Philadelphia has made a good beginning in the work of ferreting out the evil doing. Petitions have been filed with the county commissioners for the opening of the ballot boxes and the recounting of the Republican ballot in 380 of the 1,100 electorial districts of that city. It is stated that this action is without precedent in Philadelphia, but that it has been made necessary by the wholesale fraud practiced at the primaries. It will take a long time to count the ballots but the game is worth the candle in the interest of pure politics and for the sake of honest government. The law providing for an honest vote, a just count and correct returns at the primaries is quite as strict and severe as that governing regular elections, and it should be enforced. Every person who helped to defeat the will of the people at the last primary election should be made to pay the penalty. No more sacred obligation can rest on the people and their chosen executives than this. To let go unpunished such crime as was perpetuated at the June 5 primaries is to make a miserable farce of our elections.

The Bradford Star sums it up as follows: That there were 2,280 votes cast for jury commissioner at the late primary election, and that it cost Bradford county about $2.50 for every vote polled. This isn't as bad as it might be as far as cost of individual votes are concerned. We have heard of votes costing more than that, but the points which the Star, presumably, means to call attention to is that more should attend the caucuses. And this is right. It costs the county as much for a meagre expression of choice as for a large one, and on the basis of results at the last primary the county don't get its money's worth. But the task of getting the voters to attend to their duties at the primaries is a discouraging one. "General Apathy" is one of the most efficient foes of good government.

THE STATE TICKET.

The Republican state convention which met at Harrisburg last week named for justice of the supreme court Judge Robert von Moschzisker of Philadelphia; for auditor general Senator A. E. Sisson of Erie, and for state treasurer Jeremiah A. Stober of Lancaster. The men named are of unexceptional character, and the Republicans of Pennsylvania have for their leaders in the coming campaign candidates who deserve the loyal support of every member of the party. the convention promised to develop considerable strength, which had for its object the nomination of Judge Charles E. Rice of Wilkes-Barre, for the supreme court, and there were many in this part of the state who would have been pleased to see him named. He is eminently fitted for the position, and drew to himself the best wishes of many throughout the state who favored a candidate from outside of Philadelphia. But the convention ruled otherwise, and, moreover, a most excellent man was nominated. Judge von Moschzisker is a man of experience on the bench and learned in the law. He stands high as a jurist, and will maintain the traditions of the Pennsylvania supreme bench. It is a good ticket and will go to sure victory in November.

"Nearly one a month," says the Scranton Times. There is no doubt we live to the north of a tough district. We are not to blame for that, but should try and keep our own skirts clean. The Times has an editorial on the decision of the Pennsylvania board of pardons to let justice take its course with DeMazio, which means to let DeMazio hang. From what we have read of DeMazio we think he gets his deserts. The Scranton paper is against capital punishment, but believes in enforcing the law, and admits that if it were enforced the number of murders would be largely cut down. It concludes its arraignment of the present condition of things with the following significane sentence: "Lackawanna and Luzerne counties have a terrible murder record, nearly one a month, but the hangings can be counted on the fingers in Lackawanna and Luzerne is little better in enforcing the legal penalty for murder."

Mr. Bryan wants to be United States senator from Nebraska and many Democrats are disposed to let him have it in order to get him out of the way. There is an old political saying—the road to the White House does not lead through the senate. If the gentleman who has been three times defeated in his presidential aspirations can control the Nebraska legislature as well as he seems to be able to control the Democratic party at large, he can have about what he wants from it. But he can't.

The Wilkes-Barre News is under new management and has been changed from a Democratic to a Republican and from a morning to an evening newspaper. Surely this is quite a change and by it the Democratic party is left without a representative in the ranks of Wilkes-Barre newspapers We wish the News unbounded success.

The Pittston Gazette has a free trip to the Bermuda Islands contest on its hands, and may it be as successful as the Reporter-Journal and Daily Review's late affair. If it is the Gazette will have its hands full of business for a time, and as a reward will reap a good crop of new subscribers.

"The Trusts are ghosts," declares Senator Heyburn, of Idaho. And, as a Massachusetts statesman asserted t'other day, "The Consumer is a myth." The only solid seems to be the Cost of Living, and that gets harder every day.—Puck.

The sanity of the Fourth will depend a good deal upon the intelligence and firmness of pa and ma.—Rochester Times.

PENNSYLVANIA APPLES.

That the Pennsylvania farmer, and especially the Northeastern Pennsylvania farmer, has awakened to the opportunities that are presented in the field of fruit growing is gratifying. All about us men who years ago tried to compete with the western agriculturists in raising corn, wheat, rye and other great crops that flourished on the plains, have come to understand that better returns for less labor can be secured in the cultivation of garden truck, strawberries and poultry that always find a ready market in the manufacturing towns nearby. And they have also realized that by caring for the splendid apple orchards planted by their anecstors they can open up another resource that will yield greater profit than the finest orange groves in Florida or any of the other much-advertised localities that have attracted the attention of the world in past, says the Scranton Tribune.

Upon the fruit stands in every city one may see large, brilliant-hued apples, perfect in form and most inviting in appearance. To those who have never tasted these specimens of giant fruit that tell of the enterprise of the Pacific coast farmers they seem to be the ideal. But theillusion is dispelled at the first bite which shows that the beautiful, big apple is dry, punky and tasteless. It is no more like the juicy, fine-flavored Pennsylvania apple than chalk is like cheese. Yet the Pacific coast growers have probably spent many days of laborious toil in order to bring the fruit to a state of perfection in appearance, while the strawberry apples, the kings, the Northern spies and other luscious varieties that are grown by the Pennsylvania farmer require hardly any cultivation. About all the Pennsylvania farmer has to do is to cut dead limbs from his trees each year and kill the insects that will destroy the crop if left alone.

Until the state board of agriculture stimulated the growers to take some interest in the orchards a great many farmers looked upon the apple crop as a dispensation of Providence. There were good apple years and poor apple years. If an orchard yielded a big crop one year it was generally supposed that there would be a light one the following season. And no attempt was ever made to improve conditions. The state officials have demonstrated that this theory is wrong and that with a little care the farmer can get a good crop from his orchard every year.

The apple is the king of fruits in the temperate zone. It has no equals. As a health preserver it is far superior to the orange, bananna, the grape fruit or any other tropical fruit. And the demand for fine fruit is always greater than the supply. Many bleak hillsides in this section could be made to yield handsome profits if planted to apple orchards. No finer fruit in the world is raised than that which can be grown in the Pennsylvania hills and valleys. The farmer who fails to realize this is behind the age.

Our news columns this week tell that a rural free delivery carrier running out of Ulster, C. H. Ross, has taught the road supervisors of Ulster township something they didn't know and has added to their stock of knowledge. This is a good thing to do. Mr. Ross is not a school-teacher, but he is an educator all the same. He came to Towanda and before a justice complained that the road supervisors had not removed the loose stones from the roads under their care. He had counsel with him. Mr. Ross was bent on having the stones removed but did not desire to make unnecessary trouble. He agreed to withdraw the complaint if the supervisors would remove the stones, and they promised to do this and thus escaped a $10 fine. From this incident road supervisors may learn that it is part of their duty to remove loose stones from the road. The incident also illustrates another of the benefits of the R. F. D. The R. F. D. tends towards better roads. If Mr. Ross had not been an R. F. D. man he would not have complained of the condition of the roads because he wouldn't have had to travel them so often.

Long experience has taught us that there is a way by which butter may be kept firm without ice, even in the hottest days. Set a large earthen ware bowl in your pantry, porch or coolest place, and in this place a small bowl upside down. On this inverted bowl place your butterdish, with enough butter for the next meal wrapped in oiled paper. Over this drop a clean napkin, letting the edges come down over the small bowl and rest on the bottom of the large bowl. Then fill the large bowl with fresh water up to the level of the butter dish. Now wrap a towel about the large bowl, covering it entirely. Two hours later you may remove the towel and napkin which you will find completely saturated, and your butter will be firm and hard. The napkin acts as a wick and brings the cold water up to the butter thoroughly chilling it. This is infallible.—Ex.

The Norton (Kan.) Telegram is responsible for the following: Don't think because the reporter sees you getting on the train that he ought to know who you are and where you are going, or if he sees you greet some friends that he knows who they are and where they came from. We aim to get all the news, but you may be the one we don't happen to know. We try to become familiar with names and faces, if possible. But during the years past we have been to church and failed to see you there; we have hung around the town pump, but some of you weren't there; we have loafed on the street; we've even risked our reputation on back streets on a dark night, but you weren't all there. And we'll be hanged if we know where to find you all. So if you are going or coming, or know anybody cutting up queer capers, let us know.

The parole law, which also embraces the indeterminate sentence, will go into effect the first of next month. It has produced excellent results in practice elsewhere, and there is no reason why it should not in Pennsylvania. It is one of the most important changes ever made in our criminal law, and was reviewed in an editorial in the Reporter-Journal of a few weeks ago.

This is old home and old people's week in Towanda. Let every man, woman and child do their best to make it a big, pleasant and never to be forgotten occasion in the City of Promise.

SOCIAL SLAVERY.

Mrs. Howard Gould's admission that she "could not dress properly on less than $40,000 a year" is interesting as showing how severe are the sartorial obligations which the possession of wealth imposes on women, says the New York World.

Under this gilded martyrdom to fashion she was obliged to change her costumes three times a day at Palm Beach—"lingerie, gowns, shoes, hats, parasols and all"—not because of an extravagant taste but merely because "it is bad form to wear a gown twice in one place." Moreover, by the unwritten law of smart social usages, her Palm Beach trousseau was wholly unavailable at the St. Regis. Her gowns were "no good" after she had once worn them, and to reappear in them at a New York hotel would be a violation of the proprieties of dress They were equally worthless at Castle Gould, where the conditions of life on a country estate demanded gowns to correspond.

Mrs. Gould's testimony corroborates the criticisms of foreign writers on American social extravagance. But what they have failed to recognize is the patient submission of fashion's thralls to their bondage. There should be commiseration rather than criticism for those whose slavery is none the less real because the bonds are of lace and chiffon.

AMEND PRIMARY LAW.

It is the opinion of at least one of the able contemporaries of The Review that the commission provided for by the last legislature to consider and recommend needed changes in the election laws of Pennsylvania also has it within the scope of its authority to suggest amendments to the primary laws, which in a number of respects are faulty.

It is not certain that the commission has power to consider both the election and the primary laws, but there is a general hope that it has. But the subject is now being investigated, and if authority does extend to the primary laws it is very likely that recommendations along some of the lines suggested will be made.

There should be drastic provisions that the count of the vote be begun as soon as the polls close and that the returns be posted; an honest count should be safeguarded intelligently and the day of the primaries should be changed from Saturday to Tuesday, the regular election day. These suggested amendments are proper and fair and will commend themselves to every one.

The blessings a good wife brings to a man are various and valuable. Here is a man in New York who was convicted of robbery and sentenced to imprisonment for not less than twelve years and not more than twenty, who is to be released after a year's suspense, owing to the unwearied efforts of his wife to collect evidence showing that he is innocent and that the woman upon whose testimony he was convicted was a perjurer. The man has been in the Tombs all these months, awaiting a decision of his case. Now he receives his freedom and returns to his faithful wife. If he isn't so grateful to her for the balance of his days that not an angry word shall be permitted to cross his lips to or about her he should be sent up for life. The world contains a great many wives of that sort.

There is nothing better in this world than health. To feel well, not to know that you have a heart or lungs or stomach, to wake in the morning with ambition, eager to get at your work, to close your eyes at night in the happy languor of normal fatigue, that is health. Health is mental as well as physical. To know what you are about, to feel sure of yourself, to have a purpose and to be happily centred in it, gives poise and composure to the mind and a steady mind irradiates the body with composure. Healthy people are happy people and healthy people should make good use of their health, and be useful to others.

How dear to our heart is the old silver dollar, when some kind subscriber presents it to view—the liberty head without necktie or collar, and all the strange things to us seem so new, The wide spreading eagle. the arrows below it the stars and words with the strange things they tell. The coin of my father! we're glad that we knew it, for some time or other 'twill come in right well'. The spread eagle dollar. the star-spangled dollar, the old silver dollar we all love so well.—Kane Leader.

The Philadelphia Record believes this is an unjust reproach to the possessors of great wealth in this country, but we do not feel sure that the Record is right after having read of the efforts of rich people to smuggle at the New York gates of custom when they are returning from their European trips. But there is a whole lot of sense in the Record's suggestion which follows—"But if he is correct how would it do to send a multimillionaire occasionally to jail for a year for making false oath as to the amount of his income?"

Every young man should remember that if his income is just a little above expenses every day he will eventually become well off. If his receipts daily lack a little of meeting his expenditures he will in time become a candidate for public favors at the poor house. Honest work at any calling, and such economy as the case requires, is honorable; while idleness and spendthrift habits are a disgrace to anyone, young or old.

The predicted absorption of Canada by the United States may end like the ride of a certain lady on a liger, when "the tiger came back with the lady inside." Canada annually takes over about 100,000 settlers from Uncle Sam's farm.

Senator Chauncey Depew says the income tax could not be enforced because there are so many people who would not shrink from perjury in order to save a portion of their riches.

This is old home and old peoples' week in Towanda. Let us all make the best of it.

Decorate every place in Towanda for the visitors. Show them that we are glad to see them.

CORN THE REMEDY.

Someone has suggested that the present time, when wheat has reached the highest price known in this country in many years, would be a good opportunity to begin a crusade in favor of that other food of the American people, the maize of earlier days and the corn of the present age. Corn is today the great cereal crop of the country, liked and eaten as food by man and bird and beast, and very largely in many other countries also. A century ago it was far more generally found on the tables of our ancestors than now. True, everybody eats green corn in season, and corn prepared in other ways in large quantities, but we no longer resort to the corn bread here in the North as in the long-gone years, while the once famous "Johnny cake," that once found its way onto the table of all the pioneers, and for generations on those of their descendants, is little more than a memory today.

It is true, we plant and grow more corn today by far than formerly, but somehow the national appetite has been weaned away from it to a very large extent, save in its liquid form, where it seems to be holding its own with uncommon tenacity, in spite of all the prohibition laws that have been enacted in certain localities. But corn is at once a cheap and an excellent food. An exclusive corn diet the physiologists tell us is not desirable, the cereal having certain properties that make it inferior to wheat as a daily visitant on the family table, but eaten in moderate quantities, when properly prepared it is at once excellent to the palate and nourishing to the body.

Every reader must have eaten cornbread, and where is the eater who is not ready to pronounce a panegyric upon it when prepared by competent hands, and all hot, smoking and fragrant it comes from the oven to the table? Accompanied with butter as sweet and golden as the cornbread itself, with or without pure syrup, it is, indeed, a dainty dish, and fit to set before a King.

It is true that today we eat more of it than we think in the concentrated forms of pork and beef, but it would be better for us, perhaps, if we ate more of it in its own more proper condition, after passing through the hands of a competent baker or cook, than in its secondary form of animal transformation. Perhaps we would consult our health as well as our purses by such a change.

No one can question the fact that our grandfathers waxed strong and healthy upon a corn diet, and lived long and Godly lives under its benign and comforting influences. The negroes of the South hold it in esteem even beyond wheat. So do all the populations from California to the Straits of Magellan, and they would not thank you for an offer to exchange your bushel of wheat for their bushel of corn. The price is only half that of wheat at the present time, and the family pocketbook would be the gainer if more corn foods came to our tables. Many of the immigrants that have come to us during these later years are from countries where the value of corn as a human food is almost unknown, and it were well if their economic tendencies could be more generally directed towards the many excellent ways into which Indian corn can be made palatable, as well as nourishing. At the same time, be good to yourself, and give your gastronomic inclinations a genuine surprise by ordering your chef to place before you at least once or twice a week some of the delicious corn pone or hot Johnny cakes with which our grandmother used to tempt our appetites.

HANDS OFF MAIL BOXES.

Says the Williamsport Sun: "A case in the Federal court in this city last week, in which a youth was fined twenty-five dollars and costs for damaging a rural route mail box, enlists public interest and attention in a matter that is too often forgotten or disregarded—that the little tin mail boxes along the country free delivery routes are under the protection of the United States government, as prescribed by the following statute:

Section 1603—Every person who wilfully and maliciously injures, tears down or destroys any letter box, pillar box or other receptacle established by the postmaster general for the safe deposit of matter for the mail or delivery, or who wilfully and maliciously assaults any letter carrier when in uniform, while engaged on his duty as a letter carrier and every person who wilfully aids or assists therein shall for every such offense be punishable by a fine of not less than $100 and not more than $1,000 or by imprisonment for not less than one or more than three years.

The Potter county youth who was fined by Judge Archbald confessed to the vandalism charged against him, though it was argued in his favor that the restruction had been accomplished while he was under the influence of whiskey, which had been given him by woodsmen.

A little before his retirement from the presidency of Harvard Dr. Elliott dropped the remark that a shelf five feet long full of books could be made to contain the material for a liberal education if the owner should devote only fifteen minutes a day to the perusal thereof, and he promised to devote his early leisure to drawing up a list. He has done so. The Philadelphia Record thinks his shelf of books is a complete disappointment, and that if Dr. Elliott were not so very serious a gentleman one might take his shelf of books for a joke. We do not give the list but the incident shows how intelligent people differ about a matter of this kind. The Bible and Shakespeare were not in Dr. Elliott's list.

Bradford county's primaries were honestly conducted, as far as we have heard, but in Lackawanna it was different. The Scranton Truth says: "There is evidence that in various districts of Lackawanna county at the recent primaries the law was flouted and disregarded." Lackawanna county seems to be achieving a reputation for dishonest elections. The Truth says: "Those who are guilty of this heinous crime should not go unpunished. If the authorities wink at such an outrage and permit such rascality to go unwhipped of justice, the primaries will become worse than the corrupt and mercenary conventions which they were intended to cure."

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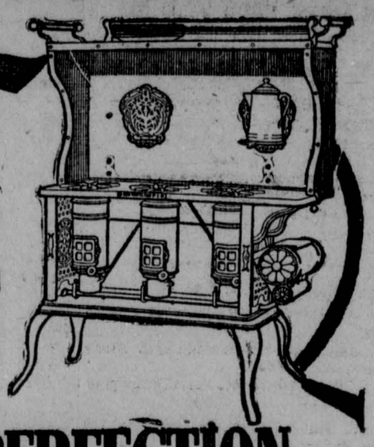

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WAR ON THE CIGARETTE

The legislature of the state of Washington has just passed an act making it a misdemeanor for any person to smoke, have in his possession or offer for sale cigarettes in the state The act provides for the arrest of any person who uses cigarettes and the police authorities are instructed to enforce the law on all persons within the confines of the state, whether they be citizens or visitors. This means that visitors to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition will be prohibited from indulging in the brain-wrecking cigarettes, which will serve to make the exposition a more pleasant place to visit than it would have otherwise been.

Why does a state legislature enact a law of this kind? Not because it desires to prevent any person enjoying the pleasures of the life. Not because the legislature wishes to restrain the people in their liberties. Not because there is a desire to oppress anybody. The act was passed in the interest of the young men and boys of the state whose mental and physical health is endangered by the use of the cigarettes. Other states will in time find it to the advantage of the public to prohibit the use of cigarettes and these menaces to the wellbeing of the boys and young men will be relegated to the fashionable clubs frequented by those who have no brains to be injured.

Small town people sometimes get into the habit of running down their home place in conversation, says the Clarion Republican. This is almost as bad as saying you wish you had married another woman instead of your wife. If you said that and your wife heard it, probably you would have a chance to get another woman. But you'll never have a chance to get another town until you improve the one you're in so that you'll love it for its own sake. Be kind to your home town, and it will be kind to you."

We have said something about the need and advisability of a reasonable celebration of the Fourtth of July. The following figures are eloquent in support of what we have said: In the last five years the records, which are doubtlests incomplete, show that 1,153 persons have been killed in Fourth of July accidents in the United States, and 22,520 others have been seriously injured.

It would not be unwelcome to readers of Philadelphia newspapers who are not residents of the city to have the city's troubles with the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company settled. After reading about it for months the public tires. It is a fight, however, the Philadelphia newspapers must make, for if they don't no one will.

Mrs. O. T. Putnam of Washington, D. C., is visiting in Burlington, called there by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Robert Kendall.

A call has gone out from Hawaii for 2,000 laborers and their families, Europeans preferred. They are offered $20 a month for the first year, $21 for the second and $22 for the third of employment to male adult laborers, and from $10 to $15 a month for women and children; also a two-room cottage for families and an acre of ground, the house and land to become the property of the laborer on the completion of three years' service. That, it seems to us, is an offer that men who are crowding into the United States could accept with profit to themselves. They could grow most of their food on the land and no doubt save some of their wages, besides getting out of the scramble for mere existence here.

Dr. Bowne Jarvis is home from Washington, D. C.

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Legal blanks at this office.

The river is still too roiley for bass fishing.

Thomas Piollet is home from State College.

Born, June 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Simons, a son.

Albert Munn of Athens, was in Towanda Saturday.

A. Smith was over from North Orwell on Saturday.

John A. Benjamin was over from Durell on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Loewus spent Sunday in Waverly.

Attorney A. L. Laws was down from Sayre Saturday.

Born, June 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Keen, a son.

Mrs. George Ingham is visiting friends at West Chester.

Fred Appleget of Waverly spent part of Saturday in Towanda.

Mrs. R. P. Ross of Tunkhannock, spent Saturday in Towanda.

Two Coudersport young men have started on a walk to Chicago.

Edwin Turner and E. B. Sutton have returned to State College.

Miss Pauline Kinsley is spending a few days with friends in Waverly.

Decatur Ayres is home from State College for the Summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Malcolm Myer have returned from a visit in Albion, N. Y.

Miss Helen Benedict of Monroeton, is spending a couple of days in Towanda.

C. M. Canfield, a well known LeRaysville citizen, was in Towanda yesterday.

Miss Bessie Means of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Malcolm Myer.

Born, on June 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Foster, State street, a daughter, Anna Verginia.

Mrs. Ross of Tunkhannock, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Eudora Stevens.

Father Shanley of Sayre, attended the St. Agnes commencement in Towanda Thursday evening.

Miss Lena Nichols, of Long Pine, Neb., is home to visit her father, Earl Nichols of East Smithfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick McCraney of Binghamton are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McCraney's.

Mrs. Helen S. Kline of Anamoose, North Dakota, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Richard Payne, at Athens.

Mrs. M. E. Pettes, who has been visiting in the southern part of the county, has returned to her home in Towanda.

Mrs. Joseph Ganley has gone to Lowman, N. Y., where she will be the guest of her neice, Miss M. A. Mooney.

Edmund Turner is home from State College for a couple of days. He is accompanied by E. B. Sutton, a classmate.

Misses Elizabeth and Agnes Moore have returned to their home in Waverly, after a couple of days visit in Towanda.

Mrs. Walter Dick, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fawcett and son Clyde of Punxsutawney are guests of Mrs. D. Clark, Second street.

F. W. Frutchey, Charles Frutchey, Sheldon Kerrick and James Connolly of Asylum, transacted business in Towanda on Saturday.

Mrs. Garrick Mallory Miller of Wilkes-Barre, has been spending two weeks with her niece, Mrs. C. L. Steward, on York avenue.

Chief Miller and Burgess Frost are home from Buffalo where they attended the International Association of Police Chiefs convention.

John Collins of this year's graduating class of Troy high school, is planning a course in the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, beginning in the fall of 1910.

A celebration will be held in C. J. Horton's grove at Hornbrook on Saturday, July 3, the proceeds to be used for the improvement of the Hornbrook cemetery.

An order has just been placed by the Lehigh Valley Railroad for fifteen steel passenger coaches for use on its line between New York, Philadelphia and Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Hannah Swingle and daughter, Mrs. Herbert Campbell of Burlington, are in Philadelphia where the son of the former, Ernest Swingle, graduates from Girard College Friday night.

James Jones has returned to Williamsport after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnson, Washington street. Miss Katherine Matthews also, of Williamsport, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

The sixteenth censorial district of the State Medical Society will hold a meeting at the Tunkhannock court house on Wednesday, June 30. Addresses will be delivered by B. W. Lewis, James W. Piatt and others.

Mrs. Sarah Yaw has returned to her home in Lycoming county, after a visit in Towanda, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Cole. Owing to Mrs. Yaw's advanced age, Mrs. Cole accompanied her on her journey home.

Thomas Howley of DeFerret, N. Y., is spending a few days with his family in Towanda, he coming to attend the St. Agnes high school commencement, his daughter, Miss Helen Howley being a member of the graduating class.

J. Roy Lilley, Esq., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Lilley, returned to Elkins, D. Va., Monday His sister Miss Pauline Lilley will accompany him to Washington, D. C., where she will spend a few weeks.

Rev. Father Boland, formerly curate of the Church of SS. Peter and Paul, is spending a couple of days at the parochial residence on Third street, coming up from Kingston to attend the St. Agnes school commencement.

BURGLARS CAPTURED.

Men Who Operated Near Hallstead, Landed in Jail.

Burglars operating near Hallstead ransacked the homes of Miles and Clayton Bennett last Saturday. They secured about $50 in cash, a Remington rifle, shotgun, coat and lugged off a couple of pigs.

When the occuponts of the houses returned and discovered the theft they received sufficient information to warrant securing Constable Elmer Decker of Hallstead, and the party drove to Kingsley, and at the home of Lawrence Warner, two miles from that place, they recovered the pigs and the guns.

A young daughter was the only occupant of the house, who stated her parents were away. A man by the name of F. E. Foote, claiming Corning as his home, was found in tne cellar drinking cider. He was arrested, and continuing the search the guns were found between the mattress of a bed and the stolen pigs in a sty near the house. Foote was taken to the Hallstead lockup.

The men in carrying off their plunder had boarded a Lackawanna freight turning an ankle cock on the air brake and stopping the train suddenly between Foster and Kingsley, where they jumped off.

When the Lackawanna officials heard of Foote's arrest they sent Special Officer Brooks down on an engine to look up Warner, who was soon captured, and taken to Hallstead.

A hearing was given them before Justice Crook and in default of bail both were taken to Montrose and placed in jail.

HEROIC BOY.

Seven Years Old Lad Saved Sister After Hard Struggle.

Seven-years-old Andrew Meyers, of West Pike, Potter county, proved himself a hero the other day in saving his five-years-old sister, Lera, from drowning in Pine creek, winning out against odds after a desperate struggle. The Potter Democrat of Friday tells the story as follows:

"His act was one which shows him to be of the very best of hero metal through and through and if any one in the state of Pennsylvania or anywhere else deserves a Carengie medal, this seven-years-old hero certainly does. His sister, with Herbert Leroy, a little boy, also about five years old, was playing on a foot bridge which crosses Pine creek. The little girl fell from the bridge into the stream which on account of the recent rains was swollen and very rapid at this point. Andrew came out of Dickens' store directly across the street from the bridge just as his sister lost her balance and fell into the raging stream. Without a moments hesitation the little hero dashed across the street and into the stream about twenty yards below the bridge and as the body of his sister floated by he caught her by the arm and worked his way to shore succeeding it reaching it just a few yards above the big hole at the fork of the streams.

ARRESTED AT ELMIRA.

F. T. Norris, Wanted at Nicholson, Has Been Apprehended.

Frederick T. Norris, wanted at Nicholson, Pa., on the charge of grand larceny in the first degree, for the alleged theft of $1,500 in cash from Ephriam Pickering, president of the Nicholson Stone Company, was arrested at Elmira on Wednesday night on a fugitive warrant by Detective Gradwell.

It is alleged that the theft took place in Nicholson on the night of December 25, 1908, and the warrant in Nicholson was issued March 9.

In the meantime Norris had gone to Elmira and purchased a half interest in the saloon conducted by P. J. Marinan on Lake street, immediately north of the Lackawanna tracks. He had spent some time in that city and was there several days after the Elmira police had obtained their warrant. When they went to locate him, however, he had gone to Scranton and had been there until Wednesday.

Norris will be held at Elmira pending the arrival of requisition papers.

Children's Day at Methodist Church.

Children's day was observed in the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday at the usual time for church services. The audience room was profusely decorated with singing birds, field flowers, laurel, roses, hemlock and daisy chains arranged by the tasteful hands of Mrs. E. J. Miller and her Sunday school class. The school marched in a body into the auditorium to the tune of "Onward Christian Soldiers," filling it to overflowing. Interested friends and spectators occupied the galleries and Sunday school room. The exercises consisted of songs, recitations and responsive readings appropriate to the occasion. The usual collection for educational purposes was taken.

May Lose an Eye.

Saye the Sayre Times-Record: The second of the anti-Fourth of July accidents occurred Friday afternoon and as a result a small boy may lose one of his eyes. Oscar Christian of Sayre, nine years of age was playing with a young companion. The other boy aimed a toy pistol at Oscar and pulled the trigger. The muzzle was near the boy's left eye and the powder burned the eyeball severely. The hospital physicians, who treated the burn fear that the acute inflamation which followed may destroy the eyesight.

One Left, Anyway.

Says the Mansfield Advertiser: Honest men are not all dead. William Bedenk received, the other day, a letter which, in substance, read as follows: "Dear Sir: A year ago I sold you a bushel of beets for your hens. I put them in what I supposed was a standard crate. I have since discovered that it was not, and, in consequence, I gave you scant measure. I enclose ten cents, which will, I think, make it about right."

MANY A DAY IS SPOILED.

By a cough which cannot be broken by ordinary remedies. But why not try a medicine that will cure any cough that any medicine can cure? That is Kemp's Balsam. It is recommended by doctors and nurses, and it costs only 25 cents at any druggist's or dealer's. Keep a bottle always in the house and you will be prepared to treat a cold or cough before it causes any suffering at all.

NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

Short Items of a Local and Personal Flavor.

Sheriff Dean was in Athens Saturday.

A. S. Maurice of Athens spent Saturday in town.

Emery Michael was over from Burlington on Saturday.

O. E. Schraeder of Highland, was in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Lynch is visiting friends in Carbondale.

P. E. Schoonover of Athens, was in Towanda on Saturday.

Mrs. O. Park Smith has returned from a visit in Rochester.

Mrs. E. D. Lewis of Wyalusing, was in Towanda on Saturday.

Mr. Ruggles of Mainesburg, Pa., is visiting his son, W. J. Ruggles.

Miss M. Murphy of Dushore, was shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

W. J. Smith of LeRoy, was among the many in Towanda on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kizer went to Scranton yesterday in Mr. Kizer's car.

All roads will lead to Towanda on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

E. O. Horton of Quarry Glen, was transacting business in town on Saturday.

Towanda merchants are requested to decorate for the home comers and old people.

The Germania band will rehearse this evening. All members should be present.

Miss Josephine Swarts of Dushore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. DeWitt.

Towanda's fine hotels, and they are many of them, will care for the host this week.

George T. Dean of Sayre, was among the many in the City of Promise on Saturday.

Mrs. Stimpson of Athens is the guest of Mrs. Edward Carter Jr., at the Ward House.

Mrs. George Horton and Miss Mary Horton of New Era, spent a few hours in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Pitkin of La Crosse, Wisconsin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Myer.

Mr. and Mrs. Raph N. Braund of Jersey City, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Reed Braund.

The solid gold medal, one of the prizes for the six mile race, is on exhibition in Chamberlin's window.

Archibald Ruggles of Sylvania, is a guest at the home of his son, John A. Ruggles, North street—Athens News.

Miss Winifred McMahon, pianist at the Family theatre, is confined to her home on Bridge street with a sprained ankle.

Miss Esther Wilt is attending commencement at West Chester, after which she will go to Canonsburg to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Mitchell, Jr., of Troy, are on an automobile trip to the Thousand Islands, and Northern New York state.

Mrs. George Macafee, who has been spending several days in Towanda the guest of Mrs. Theodore Macafee, has returned to Athens.

Walter Stroud and Frank Linehan of Athens, have been held to court to answer to the charge of furnishing liquor to a minor.

Don't fail to see the finest volunteer fire department in America on dress parade in Towanda on Friday afternoon of this week.

Go to Kirby's drug store and see that fine camera which Mr. Kirby kindly presents as a prize for a winner in the six mile race.

W. F. Winter went to Scranton yesterday returning with Mrs. Winter and daughter Gertrude who have been spending some time there.

Rev. E. M. Mills, D. D., last evening delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the VanEtten, N. Y., high school, at VanEtten.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jennings, Miss Sara Jennings, Miss Shelby Robinson and R. E. Kizer went to Hagerstown, Md. yesterday in Mr. Jennings auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Brennan, Mrs. Frank Bull, Mrs. Harry Norton and Mrs. G. Elliott of Liberty Corners, were shopping in town on Saturday.

Sam Harleman came up from Bethlehem on Saturday returning yesterday with Mrs. Harleman who has been spending several days in Towanda.

Dr. C. W. Brown, with his wife, daughter and two grandchildren have taken possession of their bungalow at the Mouth of Sugar Run, where they will spend the Summer.

Clancy's orchestra gives a concert and dance in Eagle hall Friday evening of this week. Besides the regular six piece orchestra, Thomas Kililea and a violinist from Waverly will assist.

Falling from the running board of a Lehigh Valley locomotive into the ash pit below the round house at Hazleton Friday night, Frederick Knyrim, aged 18 years, lost his life by drowning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smeaton, Miss Lucy Kennedy and Miss Bessie Wilcox returned on Saturday from New York. The ladies were in the Towanda Printing Company Bermuda touring party.

What the fat men of Towanda are planning on doing to the fat men of Sayre, will be shameful, if it is carried out. They figure on making so many runs against the Sayreites, that it will be impossible to keep tab on them.

Harry Oakley announces that the fat men's baseball team of Sayre, is now ready to go after and crush in defeat that Towanda aggregation any time that the last named team gets ready for the combat.—Sayre correspondent Athens News.

The All-Stars and the famous Colored Clouters, a team composed of Corning, N. Y., and Towanda colored players will battle on the East Side grounds on old home day, Friday, June 25. The game will be called at 4 o'clock, right after the firemen's parade. This will be the big game of the season, and there will be more excitement than is usually found at three games of baseball. The carnival company has agreed to move their tents, and the grounds will be put in fine shape for the contest.

WILD BERRY CROP WILL BE A GOOD ONE.

Indications Are That the Supply Will be Plentiful This Season.

Wild berries should be a good crop in Bradford and adjoining counties of the Northern Tier this Summer, as the hills, mountains and other places in this section where they flourish, blackberries, raspberries, elderberries and huckleberries are in blossom. The blossom crop is a luxuriant one and barring forest fires or a mid-Summer drought the crop of fruit should be one of the best in years.

Gathering wild berries is an important industry with many of the dwellers of the mountains of this and adjoining counties. Long trips are frequently made in pursuit of them. The work is hard and not without a spice of danger. Rattlesnakes and the equally venomous copperhead lurk in the underbush and the berrypicker needs to beware. Poisonous snakes are supposed to be more venomous during the month of August than at any other time. There is also a greater amount of concealment for them than at any other time as the leaves have reached their fullest development, casting deep shadows which make it almost impossible to see them. Huckleberry pickers are always regarded as being particularly subject to attacks by snakes. The huckleberry pickers penetrate much father into the mountains as a general thing than do the gatherers of any other variety of wild fruits. The blackberry picker, if the season is at all good, nearly always finds a supply at low elevations. Fence corners and uncultivated fields yield, as a general thing, an abundant harvest of this class. The blackberry does not take kindly to the deep woods nor is it so often ofund in the remote and rocky fastness of the mountains. Like all other wild fruit it varies somewhat in its habit, but it is generally found closer to civilization than the huckleberry.

Elderberries are found, as every one knows, almost exclusively along streams. They are gathered not only by people for their own use but for market as well. Snakes lurk in the depths of elder swamps as they are liable to conceal themselves wherever there is cover. The fact that there is an element of danger from this source tends to secure the berry picker his job as the consumer greatly prefers to buying a supply to facing the danger of snake bites.

The season for wild raspberries opens before that of any other wild berry except the wild strawberry which is not a factor in the market. In fairly early seasons the wild raspberry in this latitude makes its appearance in market during the latter part of June. By many housekeepers it is regarded as one of the choicest of all woodland fruits. It grows in locations similar to the natural home of the blackberry, loving sunny open spots in the forest, fence corners or other places where there is plenty of light and air. It delights in old fence rows where stones have been piled year after year. It is far from being as hardy as the blackberry, cold winters frequently killing its canes so that there is often a season when there is a scarcity of fruit.

The berrypicker's life is an arduous one in many respects. He frequently travels miles after his berries and then carries them other miles to market. Sometimes he finds the market glutted and is either compelled to almost give away the fruit secured at the cost of a hard tramp and a big burden on the return trip, or take it home unsold.

Fined For Old Offense.

John Farver, of Bloomsburg, was obliged to pay the government a fine of $10 and the expenses of a trip to Scranton, in an attempt to rectify an error which occurred 37 years ago. When Mr. Faryer purchased a lot of the Rosemont Cemetery Co. he neglected to affix a government rea estate to affix a government real escently found was necessary to make the deed valid. He wrote to the International Revenue Department at Washington, D. C., and was advised that the deed should bear a 50 cent stamp, and the place for him to get it was Scranton. Owing to his failure to affix the stamp at the time he must pay a fine of $10.

Runaway at Canton.

Says the Canton World: "Friday noon a fine gray horse owned by George Lewis, of LeRoy, was standing in front of Innes & Mitchell's grocery, when the First National Bank gong began ringing. The horse jumped quickly and was soon out of reach of Mr. Lewis, who with Mrs. Lewis was standing on the sidewalk near by. Although the horse was going at considerable speed Thad Walter sprang into the street in front of Collins & Stull's stopped the horse and avoided what might have been a bad smash-up."

Wild Man Near Westfield.

There is much discussion recently in regard to the wild man of animal which several people have seen on Mill Creek, in Broughen Hollow near Westfield. Some thought it might be a bear but those who have seen it report that though it some times stands on all fours, it raises upon its hind legs to travel and moves at a very good pace. It is said to resemble a wild man or gorilla more than a bear.

Hospital Auxiliary Officers.

The annual meeting of the Auxiliaries of the Robert Packer hospital was held at Sayre last Tuesday. The officers of the central committee for 1909 are Mrs. Mary Packer Cummings, president; Mrs. Louis Piollet, first vice president; Mrs. Howard Elmer, second vice president; Mrs. William Little, recording secretary; Mrs. Bert Hayden, corresponding secretary; Mrs. H. F. Maynard, general treasurer.

Elected Vice President.

At the annual election of officers of the Pennsylvania Postmasters association at Altoona on Friday, D. M. Turner, postmaster at Towanda, was honored by election to the office of third vice-president of the association.

"Dad" Backer Arrives.

"Dad" Backer, the veteran showman, who has played more inland towns and wayside villages than any show on earth, has pitched his tent at North Towanda, and will remain there during old home week. The show held forth at Monroeton on Saturday.

BIBLE CLASS BANQUET.

Very Enjoyable Time Reported From Stevensville.

One of the most enjoyable events in the social and religious life of Stevensville took place Wednesday night, June 9, when the organized Men's Bible Class of Stevensville held a banquet at the manse.

The class started two months ago with five members and from one to five new members have been added each Sunday since until the present membership of thirty four has been reached.

The preparation and ancitipation of weeks culminated Wednesday night when thirty four men sat down together around a long table extending the length of the sittnig room and parlor at the manse. The table was tastefully decorated. In the center was a large cluster of lemon lilies, at each end a bouquet of yellow roses and at each plate a beautiful yellow bud. Other flowers adorned the room.

The banquet was served in five courses, each of which appealed to the eye as well as to the palate.

Mrs. Wilkes, the hostess, was ably assisted by Mrs. Emma Stevens and also by four young ladies who served the refreshments, Misses Mildred East abrook, Mable and Cleone VanDemark and Jennie Cobb. The banquet was enlivened by music furnished by the class orchestra assisted by Walter Stevens and Miss Marie Stevens.

After the physical man had been fully satisfied, T. E. Eastabrook acted as toastmaster and introduced the guests of the evening who gave us "A feast of reason and flow of soul."

The following responded to the call of the toastmaster: Rev. Milton L. Cook of Merryall, Rev. Homer C. Snitcher of Wyalusing, Mr. Spetague of Honesdale and Rev. Deemer Beidleman of Wilkes-Barre.

When the dishes had been cleared once more, the clan perfected their organization by adopting a constitution and electing officers. No one will tell just when the banquet came to an end, but every one declares it was a success from start to finish and that he left the banquet room feeling he had enjoyed one of the times of his life. Too much credit cannot be given to the wives, sisters and friends who prepared and served the many good things, nor to the committe which made the arrangements, nor to the guests whose presence added so so much of pleasure and profit to the first banquet of the Men's Bible Class of Stevensville. One of the class.

TROUBLE IN SCHOOL.

The Slapping of a Pupil in Elmira School Causes Bother.

The teachers in the Elmira school are much excited over the old, old question of the right to inflict corporal punishment in any degree. Miss Millicent Lyon, a teacher in school No. 8, was provoked, it is alleged by very aggravated conduct of a girl of ten years, Ethel Wenner, into giving the child a single slap on the cheek.

The father reported the case to Superintendent Deens and he at once requested Miss Lyon's resignation, under alleged threat of arrest. The teacher in her agitation, presented the resignation.

The other teachers, when made aware of the situation, demanded fair treatment for their fellow teacher, that her side of the case should be heard, and demanded that the resignation should be returned or they would not be on hand at the opening of school the next day.

The superintendent finally yielded this and the case will go before the board of education. The teachers claim that the rule against punishment except by consent or in the presence of the principal, is broken every day in a degree, as in the single slap, of this teacher in all the schools, and that the punishment was not severe, and the child in no wise injured.

Resolutions Adopted.

West Franklin Lodge, I. O. O. F., has adopted resolutions of respect upon the death of Past Grand H. B. Burroughs. C. L. Allen, A. C. Smith and T. S. Wilcox composed the committee on the resolutions. The same lodge has also adopted resolutions of respect upon the death of Samuel Wiggins. T. L. Bonney, T. S. Wilcox and F. L. Green were the committee in this instance.

Former Meshoppenite Honored.

President Taft has sent to the Senate the nomination of Peter D. Overfield to be judge of the third judicial district of Alaska, in place of Judge Silas H. Reid, resigned. Mr. Overfield is a former Meshoppenite, who has practiced law in Alaska for three years. He was at one time a noted football player at the University of Pennsylvania.

Postmaster Turner Read Paper.

At the annual convention of the Pennsylvania Association of Postmasters at Altoona, Postmaster D. M. Turner of Towanda, read a paper on "The Advisibility of an Optional Clause Wherein the Sender Makes Known the Contents of Registered Mail at Time of Sending."

Telegraph Office Discontinued.

The Lehigh has discontinued the telegraph office at Rummerfield. All night trains now run between Towanda and Laceyville on a single order. The telegraph offices at Homets Ferry and Wyalusing are open only in the day time.

Declines Invitation.

The Rev. Edwin A. Gernant has declined an invitation to supply the largest parish in Salt Lake City during the months of July and August. He approves of but is not given to the vacation habit.

Business Education

at Meeker's School of Commerce, Elmira, N.Y. A modern equipped and down-to-date school giving a practical training in business. Positions secured for graduates without charge. Write for new catalog.

FAITHFUL TO THE LAST.

Dying Engineer Kept Train From Accident by Throwing on Brakes.

A news dispatch from Scranton says: "M. C. Davis, of Kingston, engineer on a Lackwanna coal train bound for Port Morris, N. J., died at his post late Friday night at Pocono Summit, and as he died he stopped his train and prevented a runaway down the mountain and possibly a wreck at the foot that would have caused the loss of life and a serious tie-up of traffic.

"Davis' last act was to throw on the air brakes either deliberately or by accident, but he stopped the train, and when the conductor came up Davis lay dead on a freight depot platform, after having been knocked out of the cab."

Another Fishfest Promised.

The second annual fishing contest between two teams of Towanda nimrods will be held the first week in July, or thereabouts. Last year these teams under the capitancy of W. D. Pitcher on one side and J. R. McCracken on the other, a big contest was held in which the two teams fished from Towanda to Rummerfield, and when the count was made at the Platt hotel that evening, Captain McCracken was returned a winner and Captain Pitcher and his men paid for an elaborate banquet served at the Platt house. This year the same nimrods, and the same captains will hold another contest and the losing side will stand for a banquet. As the laws have been changed, and only 12 black bass and 25 rock bass can be taken by one fisherman, it will not be so hard to count them and decide the winner.

Funeral Instead of Wedding.

A news dispatch from Wellsboro, under date of June 18, says: "The funeral of Mrs. John Bostwick will be held at Lawrenceville tomorrow—the seventh anniversary of her marriage. The family were planning to have a formal celebration of the wedding anniversary, and all plans to that end had been made. Wednesday night Mrs. Bostwick was taken suddenly and violently ill, and died in a few hours. She is survived by her husband and three children, the youngest of whom is but a year old. Her death sad enough under all other circumstances, is given a peculiar pathos because of the season in which it occurred, and because of the sorrowful difference between that which shall really occur tomorrow and that which was planned to occur."

Bridge Completed.

The concrete bridge over the outlet to Welles' mill pond is now complete, the Macafee Concrete company having finished placing the sidewalk and guard this week. The bridge is an excellent once, made entirely of concrete, the guards being handsomely ornamented, and the entire structure a credit to the commissioners of the county, both as to the workmanship and the price paid for the work. It is as good a bridge as the county possess.—Wyalusing Rocket.

Sneak Thieves Abroad.

Sneak thieves are bothering Towanda people. A few nights ago, some one entered the home of Miss Hannah McKee on Mix avenue, and stole about $9, which was in a purse. Some jewelry and other valuables were not touched.

Sliding Down the Susquehanna.

Hale Codding, Francis Holmes, Mark Hagerman and William Little, Jr., yesterday started on a boating expedition down the Susquehanna. They sailed on the houseboat "Yip I Addy Ay," and expect to be gone about ten days.

Bridge Bids Opened.

The county commissioners Friday opened the bids for the erection of a bridge over Towanda creek near Woodside in Towanda township, and for a bridge at Stevenson, in Albany township. About a dozen firms submitted bids for the work. The contracts will be let at a later date.

RETAIL GROCERS MUST BE VERY CAREFUL.

Food Commissioner Foust Gives Some Important Directions.

Retail grocers and dealers in food products generally throughout the state are warned in the forthcoming number of the Bulletin of the Dairy and Food Division that they must comply with the requirements of the new pure food law with regard to obtaining guarantees from wholesalers, manufacturers and jobbers if they are to escape prosecution for selling adulterated or misbranded goods.

Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust issues the following directions to the retailers:

"The new food act of Pennsylvania, approved the 13th day of May, 1909, protects innocent retail dealers when its provisions are complied with. In order to avail themselves of this protection it is important that every retail dealer secures from the manufacturer, wholesaler or jobber from whom he makes a purchase a signed guarantee of each invoice of goods.

"In order that the goods may be subsequently identified it is important that the date of purchase be marked upon the goods secured under each invoice. Where the goods are contained in separate packages this identification can be readily secured by the use of a rubber stamp giving the date of purchase.

"Unless the retailer is able to identify with certainty the vendor from whom his goods were procured the act will not protect him. This will require the greatest care, not only in marking the date of purchase, but in keeping the articles purchased from different manufacturers, wholesalers or jobbers bearing the same brand entirely apart from each other, so that at any time the identity of the vendor of each article can be clearly established.

"It is equally important that the retail dealer shall keep the articles purchased in precisely the same condition as when they are received. A failure to distinctly identify the vendor, or to clearly prove that articles purchased have been kept in the exact condition as when purchased, will deprive the retailer of any protection."

A Berwyn, Neb., man fell 3,500 feet the other day and wasn't seriously hurt. We know a Nebraska man who did it three times and will probably be heard from thee years from next Fall.

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Falling Hair

Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly destroys the germs that cause falling hair. It nourishes the hair-bulbs, restores them to health. The hair stops falling out, grows more rapidly.

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Ayer's Hair Vigor just as promptly destroys the germs that cause dandruff. It removes every trace of dandruff itself, and keeps the scalp clean and in a healthy condition.

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We wish you to positively and distinctly understand that Ayer's Hair Vigor does not affect the color of the hair, even to the slightest degree. Persons with the whitest or the lightest and most delicate blond hair may use it freely without having the hair made a shade darker.

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PENNSYLVANIA NEWS

Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

The Butler county grand jury has recommended that all untaxed dogs in that county be slaughtered. The recommendation is to be obeyed.

All of the 780 students in the three classes, including the 178 seniors, in the West Chester Normal school, passed the state examiners' test.

The school board of Darby has directed that flags be placed in each school room and that every morning the pupils shall march up and salute the flag.

Eighteen-year-old Samuel Heist, of Kutztown, Berks county, has been committed to jail to await trial on the charge of beating a horse to death.

The H. C. Frick Coke company is about to fire 2,000 additional coke ovens in the Klondyke and Connellsville regions, and it is expected by July 1 every oven owned by the company will be in blast.

When she was about to retire on Friday night, the wife of Simon O. Swanger, of Greensburg, found her husband dead, hanging to a bed-post. The reason of his suicide was unknown, this being the third attempt.

Lewis C. Corbin, of Juniata township, Huntingdon county, has bought back the farm for $3,000, which two years ago he sold to the Juniata Hydro-Electric company for $5,500. The company retains the water right.

The passengers on a Pittsburg street car were treated to an unpleasant surprise on Sunday when a swarm of bees took possession of the car. The mortorman was stung once but all the passengers escaped scatheless.

The farmers who peddle their produce in the streets of Pittsburg, are very indignant over the new license fees they must pay. Some of the sons of the soil are taxed as high as $75 per annum for the privilege of selling to Pittsburgers.

So weak from typhoid fever that he could not rise, J. Clayton Gable, of Felton, near York, when he saw a fox which had stolen forty of his chickens in his yard, had his wife prop him up in bed with pillows and succeeded in shooting Reynard.

After listening to an affecting address by the Rev. W. D. Lomison over a score of inmates of the Schuylkill county jail, at Pottsville, agreed to plead guilty at the approaching term of court, thus saving the county the expense of trying them.

Tilgham H. Reinsmith, who, for thirty-five years was an undertaker in the town of Emaus, is dead. He was 74 years of age and had made all arrangements for his own funeral even to the making of his own casket and the selection of the text and hymns.

John McGuire and Henry Williams, of Shamokin, were closed in a gangway at the Dark Water colliery, by a fall of top. A mule was killed by the falling debris, but the men were uninjured. There being several other ways of escape they finished their "shift" before they came out from the mine.

Mrs. Hyman Lazare, a resident of Washington, 28 years old, killed herself by swallowing carbolic acid because she longed to get back to Pittsburg, her former home, and hated Washington. She leaves a husband and four children, one a babe only a year old.

A monster mushroom was found on an Allegheny county farm by the farm's owner, Dr. Allen F. Willet. It measures 22 1-2 by 32 inches and is 9 inches thick. It weighs over 33 pounds. Dr. W. J. Holland says it is of an established species known as the polyporous, of an edible species and palatable in its raw state.

Chief Factory Inspector Delaney has just made public his annual report. He says the new child labor act, which will go into effect January 1, 1910, is a great improvement over previous statutes. The statistical section shows that last year 611,324 males and 200,079 females were listed in the industrial and mercantile establishments of the state, of whom 32,043 were minors.

A swarm of bees, a million strong invaded Johnstown, on Wednesday, and were caught in a unique manner by E. H. Burkhart. Securing a tin pail, he went among them beating it, and as they stayed right in the zone of the noise, he was able to lead them into a vacant lot, where they settled on an elderberry bush. Cutting off the bush, he shook off the insects into a box, and is now ready to do a thriving business in honey.

Centre county farmers report such a large crop of wheat that they are beginning to doubt whether the price will be able to stay at its present altitude. Only a few of these farmers were fortunate enough to get the benefit of the rise in value of wheat, as most of them had sold their last crop long before the price began to soar. One, however, was astute enough to hold his crop, and only recently he sold 1,700 bushels at the cash price of $1.40 a bushel.

Mrs. George F. Myers, of Altoona, had quite a costly experience at McVeytown several days ago. She had a basket in one hand containing twelve dozen of eggs, and another in the other containing twelve pounds of butter and was boarding the train for home. The brakeman took the butter, while she kept the eggs. The train gave a lurch and she dropped basket and all, breaking eleven dozen of eggs. The brakeman, also dropped his basket of butter to catch the woman, but the butter was not hurt.

Robert Allen, a young negro, was put on the witness stand at Norristown to answer the charge of chicken stealing. He put up as a defense the statement that it rained on the night in question and that he was out in the downpour and seeing the chicken coop took refuge therein. That the chickens cackled and he told them to keep quiet, that he wouldn't hurt them; but that they kept on and while he was arguing with them the farmer came and caught him. He declared he didn't intend to take the chickens. The jury was obdurate and after he had been found guilty the court sentenced him to six months in jail.

BOARDING HOUSE LAW DECLARED UNCONSTITUTIONAL

Judge Ferris of Luzerne County Opines in an Important Case.

An opinion of far reaching interest to the people of Pennsylvania has been handed down by Judge Ferris of Luzerne county, is that in the case of Celia Jenkins of Kingston, against Cradock Davis, a suit growing out of an attachment of wages for a board bill, and in an opinion the court declares that the act is unconstitutional. The case came up on a certiorari from a justices office.

After quoting from article III of the Constitution of Pennsylvania against the passage of local or special laws, the judge says:

The act of April 10, 1905, P. L., 134 was passed for the exclusive benefit of a special class of persons, viz: "All keepers of hotels, inns, boarding houses and lodging houses in this Commonwealth." It is, therefore, a special law.

It (1) regulates the practice before, and (2) confers a new jurisdition upon justices of the peace, and (3) changes the method (by providing a new one) for the collection of a special kind of debts for the benefit of a special class of persons. In these three particulars it violates Article III, Section VII, of the Constitution, and is void. The reasons which led the Supreme Court to declare Section 28 of the Mechanic's Lien Law of 1901, P. L. 431, to be unconstitutional in Portland Cement Co. vs. Allison, 220 Pa. 382, are quite as applicable here. See also Antreason vs. Samarsian, 18 Pa. Dist. R. 335, where the same conclusion was reached by the Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia.

It follows that the justice of the peace was without lawful jurisdiction in the case at bar, and the exception raising the constitutional question must be sustained. The judgment is, accordingly, reversed and the proceedings set aside.

REVISED PRIZE LIST.

What the Rose Fair Winners Will Receive at Epworth Hall.

At one o'clock Thursday, in Epworth hall the judge, Harry N. Hoffman will begin his work of making the awards. There are not a few good rose gardens in Towanda. A little concerted effort on the part of the rose lovers of the City of Promise will make it the city of roses. The revised list of Prizes is as follows:

Best collection of roses properly named Six Hybrid Perpetual rose bushes given by Harry N. Hoffman, of Elmira; The best collection of Hybrid Teas properly named six first size Hybrid Tea rose bushes given by Peter Henderson & Son of New York The best collection of Old Fashioned roses, "Pictorial, Practical Rose Growing" by a friend; the best collection of Moss Roses, a rose bush, a new variety by the Comrad and Jones Company of West Grove, Pa.; best six varieties correctly named, "Roses and How to Grow them" by the Towanda Epworth League Chapter; greatest variety of Red Roses correctly named half a pound of choice Nasturtium seed by Fred L. Jennings of Elmira; greatest variety of White Roses correctly named, twelve packets of choice Sweet Pea seed given by Fred L. Jennings, of Elmira.

"In addition to the above a hybrid perpetual rose bush will be given for each of the following: Best three blooms of Frau Karl Druschi; best three blooms of Prince Camille de Rohan; best three blooms of Paul Neyron; best three blooms of White Maman Cochet; best three blooms of pink La France; best three blooms of Kaiserin Augusta Victoria; and best six blooms of Cruss au Teplitz.

Season tickets fifty cents. Single admission twenty cents. All competitors must have season tickets.

An Old Man's Club.

Danville is to have an old man's club, the members of which have all advanced beyond the three-fourths of a century mark. It is explained that 26 men can be counted among the better class of residents who are over seventy-five years of age and who are consequently eligible to membership. Conspicuous among these is Michael Powers, over a hundred years old, who would undoubtedly be the club's first president. The projectors of the club are at present casting about for a suitable name. The title "Down and Out Club," which somebody proposed, finds but little favor, as many of the members are still active along certain lines of endeavor and are factors that have to be reckoned within the affairs of life.

Murderer Gets Limit.

Goetano Feoreto, of Pittston, was found guilty of murder in the second degree in Luzerne county criminal court, and immediately sentenced by Judge Fuller to twenty years in the penitentiary, which is the limit of imprisonment for second degree. He fired five shots into the body of Antonio Africano in Pittston a few months ago. The commonwealth contended for a first degree verdict, and the outcome of the case is a victory for the defendant.

Marriage License.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday: Michael T. Carn and Mary E. Collins, both of Elmira; Leon W. Loomis of Athens, and Blanch M. Martin of Wysox; Bruce McNeal of West Franklin and Edith Marguerite Cary of Sayre; Benjamin A. Arnold and Jennie A. Peck both of Geona, N. Y.; Daniel L. Bevan of LeRoy, and Eleanor G. Weaver of Athens.

Married Fifty Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Keyes, of Sylvania, celebrated their 50th anniversary, June 7. On account of Mr. Keyes' ill health only the immediate relatives were present. Many beautiful gifts and congratulations were received and a delicious supper was served.

The Health of Your Horse

will be best promoted—best preserved—if you are ready to give the proper remedy at the proper time. The proper remedy for all strains, sprains or colic is Perry Davis' Painkiller. The proper time to use it is when the trouble first shows itself. Be prompt and you will not only save the horse suffering, but you'll spare yourself trouble and expense—maybe save a long time waiting. You ought to have a bottle ready. The new size bottle costs 35 cents; one larger, 50 cents. Be sure your druggist gives you Perry Davis'.

PACKER HOSPITAL TRUSTEES HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.

Elect Old Board of Officers—Office of Assistant Surgeon Created.

The annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Robert Packer hospital, was held at Sayre Tuesday, at which time all the old officers were re-elected. They are:

President—Henry Streeter.
Vice-President—Bert Hayden.
Secretary—Fred J. Taylor.
Treasurer—M. H. Sawtelle.
Superintendent, Physician and Surgeon—Dr. C. H. Ott.

Executive Committee—Henry Streeter, J. W. Bishop, Bert Hayden, Hon. E. M. Dunham, Dr. W. E. Johnson, H. G. Merriam, M. H. Sawtelle and Rodney A. Mercur.

A new office, that of assistant surgeon, was created by the Trustees, and Dr. Russell B. Linn, who has been acting as surgeon in chief during the illness of Dr. C. H. Ott, was elected to the office. Dr. Ott was granted a leave of absence to allow him to fully recuperate from his recent severe illness.

The Hewitt ward was reported ready for use, and that there were no funds with which to furnish the ward. Hon. O. D. Kinney and C. S. Maurice, two members of the Board of Trustees came forward with a donation of $500 each which will furnish the ward and make it ready for use at once.

Fred Fay Must Answer Grand Jury for Failure To File Proper Report.

Justice Cary of Sayre, Thursday

TAX COLLECTOR HELD TO COURT

morning handed down his decision in the case of Commonwealth vs. Fred Fay, tax collector of Ridgebury township, holding him to court on the first charge in the complaint.

Fay was arrested some time ago on the complaint of one, Frank L. Owens who had been his unsuccessful opponent at the last election.

It was charged in a very lengthy complainant that Fay had neglected to file certain papers with the county commissioners setting out the amount of tax collected, and from whom, as the law required. Failure to do this is a misdemeanor. There were also a large number of counts setting out that Fay had failed to issue numbered tax receipts to the citizens who had paid their taxes.

The case was tried Thursday, June 10, and consumed over half a day. The fight was almost entirely upon technical grounds. Stephen H. Smith of Towanda, was prosecuting attorney and C. E. Mills and C. C. Yocum appeared for the defendant.

The first charge was established clearly and for failing to file such report Fay will have to submit his case to the grand jury at Towanda.

There was no charge that Fay had misappropriated any of the tax funds, or that he had done anything that in this case amounted to more than a technical violation.

None of the witnesses who appeared against him were willing witnesses and all appeared reluctant to testify, although they evidently told the truth when on the stand.—Athens News.

Still Coming.

Says this week's Troy Gazette Register: "Before a cow can be entered in the Advance Register of her breed she must reach a certain high point in milk and butter production under test. Such a test by an official named for the purpose has been recently made of three of W. S. Sweet's Terrace Farm Holstein-Freisians and all three go into the advanced register. Two of the cows gave an average of 84 pounds of milk a day for seven successive days and the third, who freshened about six months ago, showed an average daily milk production of 69 pounds with a somewhat higher per cent of butter fat. Under more favorable condition it is believed one at least of the trio would have reached a daily average of 100 pounds of milk. All things considered the result is a highly creditable one. Among Mr. Sweet's younger stock are five daughters of this cow. A quart of milk weighs about two pounds, therefore these cows averaged 42 quarts and 34 1-2 quarts of milk a day. They were milked morning, noon and night. Thus, again, it may be said that "Western Bradford is coming, agriculturally."

Cow Had Rabies.

D. G. Ballard of Leona, lost a valuable dairy cow this week through rabies. It was a fine grade Jersey, and first acted strangely when brought from the pasture Monday evening. Veterinarian M. A. Davies was called and pronounced the disease rabies. The cow was stanchioned and in addition securely tied with heavy rope. From the first her eyes protruded wildly, and the animal moved about nervously and bawled almost constantly. When given water, which she seemed to crave, she took the rim of the tin pail between her teeth. She showed no improvement as time went on, and on Wednesday after Dr. Davies' diagnosis had been affirmed by a veterinarian from Liberty, representing the State Livestock Sanitary Board, she was killed. It will be recalled that Mr. Ballard lost a dog some time ago from rabies and killed another also that had been bitten.

The Law on Frogs.

The frog law as passed in 1903 stands for the coming season, there being no change, as the recent legislature failed to act in the matter. The season is the same as heretofore, July 1st to November 1st. The fine is $25 for each violation.

First National Has Some.

The First National Bank of Towanda has $12,000 of State money, according to the annual report of the treasury department just issued. In the general fund there was on June first, the tidy sum of $8,504,535.86. In the sinking fund there is $2,671,533.95.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the past 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

HEADSTONES FOR SOLDIERS.

Provided Free on Application For All United States Soldiers.

The law which was passed providing for the giving of headstones to mark the graves of deceased soldiers has been mentioned, but it is doubtful if all understand the liberal provisions of the offer, which the government makes so the following is given:

Upon application to the Quartermaster General U. S. Army, headstones will be furnished for unmarked graves of soldiers, sailors and marines, who served in the State Militia or the Army or Navy of the United States during any war or insurrection, including the Revolution, whether regular or volunteer, and whether they died in the service or since their muster out or discharge therefrom. Headstones will be furnished for unmarked graves of Army Nurses who had regular or volunteer commission as such.

The headstones are of the best white marble, 39 inches long, 12 inches wide and four inches thick, the top slightly rounded and the portion of the stone which will be above the ground when set is hand-rubbed; each headstone is inscribed with the name, rank, if above private, company and state regiment, or other organization to which the deceased belonged cut in relief within a sunken field. No deviation can be made from these specifications, which are prescribed by the Secretary of War and the law does not provide for any expenditures for fences or for any other purpose except for the headstone as above described; neither is it lawful to make any money allowance in place of furnishing the headstone.

Headstones will be shipped, freight prepaid by the Government, only to the nearest railroad station or steamboat landing; they will not be delivered to the street address or to the cemetery.

The following instructions to applicants are printed on the back of the blank applications:

Write plain and be careful to spell the names of soldiers correctly or other persons for whose graves headstones are desired; if any of them served under an assumed name, both the true name and alias must be given.

Write the first or given name in full if known, as Charles T. Jones, instead of C. T. Jones. Where soldiers served with State troops, the State and arm of service, whether infantry, cavalry or artillery should be given; and in case of a sailor or marine, the name of one or more vessels on which he served, or the approximate date of enlistment is required.

By carefully observing these directions and giving the information called for in each column delay will be avoided.

Officers or committees of G. A. R. Posts and other persons having charge of securing headstones for soldiers buried in their vicinity are requested to forward application only quarterly, viz: Jan. 1, April 1, July1, and Oct. 1, including thereon all headstones required and not previously applied for up to date application is made.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

State Convention at Harrisburg Passed Off Very Quietly.

The Republican state convention at Harrisburg on Wednesday nominated the following ticket: For justice of the supreme court, Judge Robert von Moschzisker of Philadelphia; for auditor general, Senator A. E. Sisson of Erie; for state treasurer, Jeremiah A. Stober of Lancaster.

The convention was devoid of serious contests, virtually all the rivals to the successful candidates having withdrawn from the field, after the choice of the leaders became definitely known.

But one contest was waged, it being between Judge von Moschzisker and Judge Rice of Wilkes-Barre. The result showed 307 votes for von Moschzisker and 47 for Rice. Later the nomination of the Philadelphian was made unanimous. Outside of this one clash, which was entirely free from bitterness, everything passed off harmoniously. Enthusiasm prevaded the convention and the cheering was loud and frequent.

At the conclusion of the convention, Colonel W. B. Andrews was re-elected chairman of the Republican state committee, and he announced the appointment of W. Harry Baker of Harrisburg, as secretary of the state committee, to succeed the late John R. Williams of Scranton.

Soap Agent Wanted.

Detective Hollon yesterday received a telephone message from Laceyville to the effect that a man had been flimflamming the people of that section on a soap deal. The man is described as being about 60 years of age, smooth face, and drove a gray horse to a buckboard wagon. He collected money on soap orders and then failed to deliver the goods. Laceyville parties wrote to the firm he claimed to represent and were informed that he was not their agent, and probably an imposter. A warrant for his arrest was procured, but he had left Laceyville, coming in the direction of Towanda. He said he would visit New Albany on his way to the Bradford county metropolis.

To Purchase Water Plant.

At a special meeting of Mansfield's borough fathers last week a petition was executed, praying Judge David Cameron to appoint three appraisers to inspect the plant of the Mansfield Water Company, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the Assembly of 1907, and as amended in 1909 the borough being desirous of purchasing the plant. This is the first legal step in the matter of Mansfield becoming possessor of a system of water works, and other necessary proceedings will be taken as rapidly as the law will permit.

Leona Sprinter.

Says the Troy Gazette Register: "Carl Hooker of Leona, will be one of the hundred or more candidates for the county championship in the 6-mile Marathon race at Towanda, June 25th. Hooker gave a good account of himself at the county field meet and promises to do so in the Marathon."

Subpoena in Divorce.

A subpoena in divorce has been awarded in the case of Charles P. Yontz vs. Ida May Yontz.

SICK AND DESPONDENT LEMUEL PRATT SUICIDES.

West Burlington Township Farmer Killed Himself on Thursday.

Despondent from ill health, Lemuel Pratt, 66 years old, and a well known farmer of West Burlington township, blotted out his life Thursday morning of last week.

He was unmarried, and made his home with his only relative, Ephrian Pratt, a brother, living on Vroman Hill in West Burlington township. Thursday morning, unnoticed by the rest of the family, he took a 32 calibre rifle and went out in the yard, placed the muzzle against his left temple, and pressed the trigger. The bullet crashed through the brain, causing instant death.

The unfortunate man had been ill all Winter, and this it is believed caused him to committ the rash act. He was well liked by all who knew him, being of a friendly disposition. He was a son of the late John Pratt, a well known resident of West Burlington township.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Ephriam Pratt and interment was made in the private cemetery on the Pratt farm.

BOY KILLED BY AUTO.

Thirteen Years Old George Winkler Loses Life at Binghamton.

George Winkler, aged 13, the son of George Winkler, a well known machinist of Binghamton, was killed Wednesday by being run down by the large "Seeing Binghamton" automobile car, at the corner of Front and Main streets in that city.

The auto was driven by C. H. Wakeman of Lestershire, and he had on board a party of ten G. A. R. men taking a trip about the city. The car was running very slowly, being just turned from Main into Front street, when the Winkler boy came along riding his bicycle. He turned directly from the opposite side of the street and ran directly in front of the auto. The machine was running near the curb and it is thought the boy misjudged this room between the car and the curb and attempted to ride on the side when the car caught him. He was thrown under the wheels and one passed over his head, crushing his skull. The boy died within a few minutes.

Wakeman, the driver, was arrested, but he was released after being taken to police headquarters, as there were plenty of witnesses to exonerate him from all blame. Young Winkler's mother, who has been in poor health, became violently hysterical when she heard of the accident and was in serious condition for a time.

TIOGA COUNTY DOINGS.

Last Wednesday afternoon at Corning the Crystal City running team defeated the running team of Gale Hose, of Galeton, in a 200-yard hub race by 15 feet in 23 seconds. The race was run on macadam pavement and the rain made the course slippery and slow.

A few days ago a Tioga lady swallowed a piece of glass an inch and a half in length, from which she experienced no serious results.

A creamery with 50 stockholders has been organized at Asaph. It is expected that active operations in manufacturing butter will be commenced about the first of next month.

Nellie Manney, a 14-year-old Galeton girl, eloped one night last week with Charles Ballard, aged 24 years. Ballard was a brakeman on the B. & S. and boarded at the home of the girl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Manney.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Mable E. Ritter and Alfred C. Smart, two well-known young people of Wellsboro. The event will take place next Thursday at high noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ritter, on Tioga street.

Died on Cinder Bank.

Asphyxiated several weeks ago, the partly decomposed body of an unknown man was found Friday morning under a pile of doors on the Lehigh Valley ash dump at Sayre and the discovery was due to the stench eminating from decaying human flesh. It is evident that several weeks ago, the man desiring a place to sleep crawled down through that space in the doors and then, when he reached the ashes he found a warm place to sleep. He removed his coat hat and shoes and folded up his coat to use as a pillow. He laid his hat between two of the doors, placed his shoes at his side and laid down, with his back upward and soon dropped asleep. The gases oozing upward through the ashes soon made him unconscious and then death came.

Captured Some of the Trout.

Three years ago P. R. Borden, of Tunkhannock, who takes great interest in progogating fish, placed two cans of lake trout in the waters of Lake Carey. A few days ago Mr. Borden caught three of the trout each more than nine inches in length. Mr. Borden is the first one to capture any of the trout put in the lake.

Anniversary of Church of Herrick.

Anniversary services will be held at the Herrick Presbyterian church, on Wednesday morning, afternoon, and evening, June 30, 1909, in commemoration of the organization of the church, sixty years since, and of the dedication of the building fifty years ago. Rev. A. J. Fisher and wife, Rev. A. F. von Tobel and wife of Athens, Rev. S. C. Hodge and wife of Trenton, N. J., Rev. Parke Richards of Plymouth, Pa., Rev. J. B. Davies and Rev. C. Councilman, with several other ministers and friends, have signified their intention of being present and participating in the services of the day. All friends who are in any way interested in the event are cordially invited to be present. Dinner and supper will be served by the ladies of the church and community.

Saving Him For the Gallows.

Nicholas De Mazio, who is to be hanged for murder in the Lackawanna county jail on July 29, is afflicted with a mouth and throat disease, making it impossible for him to partake of solid food and is kept alive on a milk diet, administered daily by two physicians.

Reporter-Journal $1 a year.

SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Clotilda Dittrich entertained informally yesterday afternoon.

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The Thursday club will be entertained by Mrs. Helen Rosenmiller this afternoon.

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The U and Me club entertained the U and I club at John Dunfee's on Tuesday evening.

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The Whisters will meet with Mrs. John Piollet at Wysox on Tuesday afternoon at half after two.

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Mrs. E. W. Elwell entertained at 500 on Saturday afternoon after which a delightful supper was served.

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The Monday club will meet with Mrs. Benjamin Kuykendall this afternoon at half after two.

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William Little and Carl Shiner gave a banquet at the Tidd house last evening in honor of the Omega Gama Delta society.

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Mrs. D. J. Sweet and Mrs. E. A. Parsons Friday entertained a company of ladies at the Quarry Glen club house.

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Miss Katherine Carroll entertained at dinner on Saturday evening, at her home on York avenue, complimentary to Miss Isabella P. Gordon.

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The Theta Sigma girls will entertain their friends at a dancing party in Columbus hall this evening. Walker's orchestra will furnish music.

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Wednesday afternoon at her home, York avenue Helen Elizabeth Kegerries, celebrated her 4th birthday, about 15 of her little friends gathered Games were played and dainty refreshments were served. They all returned home after having a good time.

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The annual reception and dance of the St. Agnes Alumni association was held in St. Agnes hall Friday night There was a large number of invited guests, and a delightful evening was spent. Clancy's orchestra furnished music. The committee of arrangements were: John Crimmins, Thomas Carroll, Arthur Carroll, James Carron and Joseph Keating. Mr. and Mrs. John Quigley led the grand march.
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An unique social function was that of Thursday afternoon at Troy when Mrs. B. B. Mitchel, jr., entertained a party of thirty young ladies at a "Variety Shower" in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Eloise E. Mitchell, the occasion being the formal announcement of her engagement to Charles M. Knox, of Johnstown, N. Y. The rooms and porches were beautifully decorated. A fine collation was served under the supervision of Cateress Miss Jennie Nelson. A musical program folowed.

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Miss Marion Kingsley gave a very delightful dinner at her home Thursday. Covers were laid for twenty-eight. The color scheme was pink and green ,the table being artistically decorated with carnations and roses, intertwined with smilax. The favors were little white nut baskets decorated with forgetmenots and tied with green ribbons. The out of town guests were the Misses Marion Smith of Phillipsburg, N. J., Marguerite Sweet of Binghamton, Georgiana Study of Rome, Mildred Ballard of Troy, Frances Sawyer of Canton, Messrs. Will Beaman of Troy, Dee Bennett of Sayre, George Knapp of Waverly, Burt Summers of Milan, J. Clifford Rogers of Ithaca, and Lloyd Willams of Troy. After the dinner the party attended the Theta Sigma dance.

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The dance and cotillion given in Eagle hall Thursday night by Theta Sigma was a very charming affair The favors for the German, which was led by Miss Helen Hale and J. Rosseel Overton, were novel and original. The hall was beautifully decorated with daisies, buttercups and evergreens. The mothers of the Theta Sigma girls were the patronesses. Mrs. W. B. Gunton, Mrs. B. T. Hale, Mrs. William Little and Mrs. Mary Hoffman presided at the favor table. Walker's orchestra furnished music, which, as usual, was of a high order. Refreshments were served in the hall. Among the out of town guests were the Misses Elizabeth and Agnes Moore of Waverly, Donna and Bernice Jackson of Williamsport, Marion Smith of Phillipsburg, Frances Sawyer of Canton, Mildred Ballard of Troy, Margaret Cowell of Athens, Georgiana Study of Rome, Marguerite Sweet of Binghamton, Mollie Camp of Bethlehem,; Messrs. Dee Bennett of Sayre, George Knapp of Waverly, Burt Summers of Milan, J. Clifford Rogers of Ithaca, Lloyd Williams of Troy, Joe Robinson of Waverly, Daniel Innes of Canton, John Brown of Canton, and Lester Merrill of Williamsport.

Insect Boring Machine.

Says the Westfield Free Press: "An insect that is a veritable boring machine has made its appearance in town. It resembles the dragon fly in size and general appearance, but carries as an adjunct to its tail, a hard wirelike appendage with which it drills holes in the trees to the diameter of an ordinary match, sinking many of these holes to the depth of two inches. The insect when at work is as methodical as a steam drill and cuts a smooth, round hole. The trees attacked were maples and in every instance were trees which were not flourishing though the parts attacked were live and hard. When at work, the insects display a white scale at the end of its tail which surmounts the living drilling derrick like a white flag. When not perforating trees the insect keeps the saw or drill curled up beneath its tail like a watch spring. The uncommon sight was witnessed by many."

Close Call.

Frank Miles, a substitute mail carrier at Sayre, had a thumb burned off Thursday by coming in contact with a live wire. He took hold of a live wire hanging at the corner of the street, and that he was not instantly killed, is a miracle.

ODD FELLOWS' ORPHANAGE DEDICATED ON THURSDAY.

Over 3,000 Members of the Order Attended the Celebration.

Over 3,000 Odd Fellows and Daughters of Rebekah of this section of the state attended the dedication of the new Odd Fellows' Orphanage near Sunbury on Thursday of last week, and took part in the elaborate exercises. The event was highly creditable and speaks volumes for the I. O. O. F. The various committees in charge made ample preparations for the accommodation of the many persons and succeeded admirably in satisfactorily entertaining all the visitors. Meals and refreshments were served in abundance, both in the new building and in tents on the lawn, under the auspices of the Daughters of Rebekah, the money thus secured being applied to the building fund.

The buildings, both the old and the new orphanage, and the grounds were open for inspection from 9 to 10:30. At the latter hour a reception was tendered the Grand Lodge officers and the officers of the home, at which serenades were given by several brass bands and some singers. At 11 o'clock there was a parade from the old to the new buildings, participated in by scores of patriarchs militant past grand patriarchs past presidents of the Rebekah State Assembly, past grand masters, speakers, directors, representatives to the home, officers of the home, dedication committee, home superintendent and matron and officers, orphans and attendants, Rebekahs, Odd Fellows and visitors. The pageant was truly imposing and was accompanied by several bands.

The exercises commenced at 11:15 by the large audience singing the ode of the order. Then came the dedicatory ceremony by the Grand Lodge officers. J. S. Montgomery, grand master of the Grand Lodge of the State, made an excellent address. Other interesting and entertaining addrsses were made by Mrs. Hattie Mendel, president of the State Assembly of Rebekahs; Rev. B. H. Hart, past grand master; E. C. Wagner, president of the Orphan's Home; J. W. Stroh, vice president of Orphans' Home and others. The addresses were interspersed by selections by the bands and well rendered songs by the children of the Home. There were over 100 of the children and they made an excellent appearance and seemed to be well drilled. There was also vocal music by the John Stine Lodge, No. 1150, glee club, after which there was a highly interesting dress parade and drill by cantons of Uniformed Rank of Odd Fellows, who went through many intricate movements with the precision of soldiers, the whole making a handsome spectacle.

All the officers of the Home were in attendance and they are as follows: E. C. Wagner, Girardville, president; J. W. Stroh, Sunbury, first vice president; Evan Challis, Wilkes-Barre, second vice president; S. B. Hillard, Watsontown, secretary; H. I. Romig, Beaver Springs, assistant secretary; Robert Davis, Mt. Carmel, treasurer; E. E. Chubbuck, superintendent; Mrs. Chubbuck, matron.

The new building is a three story brick building with a basement. It is located on a small knoll near the old home and presents a beautiful appearance. The cost of the structure, including the furnishings, is about $70,000 and all paid for. The buildings are on a large fertile farm owned by the Odd Fellows, about five miles from Sunbury, towards Shamokin, and the grounds are beautifully arranged. The basement is occupied by the dining room, electric power room, laundry, boys' play room, kitchen and storage rooms.

HOUSEHOLD CARES.

Tax the Women of Towanda the Same as Elsewhere.

Hard to attend to household duties
With a constantly aching back.
A woman should not have a bad back.
And she wouldn't if the kidneys were well.
Doan's Kidney Pills make well kidneys.
Towanda women should profit by the following experience.

Mrs. M. S. Helmer, Redington Ave., Troy, Pa., says: "I have no hesitation in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills, as I found them to be exactly as represented. I suffered a great deal from severe pains across the small of my back and in my kidneys. I also had terrible headaches and at times felt so miserable that I was hardly able to do my housework. Hearing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended, I procured a box and used them according to directions. They gave me prompt relief, strengthening my kidneys and disposing of the pains in my back. I will always speak in the highest terms of this reliable remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Mrs. Ed. Schraeder and daughter Hattie of Hills Grove, who are in Towanda for Old Home Week, are the guests of Mrs. W. Ennis Kinsley on Olive street.

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ROAD SUPERVISORS SHOULD TAKE WARNING FROM THIS.

Rural Mail Carrier Causes Arrest of Ulster Township Supervisors.

A case of general interest, not only to the people of Bradford county, but all over Pennsylvania, is the one which was settled Monday before 'Squire Meredith of Towanda.

There is a law on the statute books of Pennsylvania which makes it compulsory upon the part of road supervisors to remove all the loose stones from the public highways of their respective townships. For a failure to do this there is a penalty of $10 fine for each supervisor. Many of the supervisors in Bradford county neglected to comply with this law and among the number were the supervisors of Ulster township.

Last week C. H. Ross, a rural free delivery mail man running out of Ulster village, came to Towanda, and before 'Squire Meredith made complaint against the supervisors, charging them with violation of the law. William Maxwell represented the plaintiff and when the parties got together, Mr. Ross not desiring to push the case, agreed to withdraw the complaint if the supervisors would remove the troublesome stones. This they agreed to do, the complaint was withdrawn, and they escaped the $10 fine.

This should be a warning to all supervisors. The majority of people, like Mr. Ross, have no desire to make any trouble for the supervisors, but it is obligatory upon their part to observe the mandates of the law.

UNCLE SAM'S BUSINESS.

Something About the Revenue From Stamps, Cards, Wrappers, Etc.

The chief revenues of the Postoffice Department are derived from sale of stamps, stamped envelopes, postal cards and so forth. Uncle Sam's postage stamps are manufactured by the Bureau of engraving and printing at Washington; the envelopes and newspaper wrappers are made under departmental supervision under contract by a private corporation whose factory is located at Dayton, Ohio, while his postal cards are made under similar conditions at Rumford, Me. From these points distribution is made to post offices throughout the country upon requisition of postmasters duly approved by the department.

Postage stamped paper issued during the year aggregated $176,974,190.24 an increase of $3,967,713.97 over 1907. The total number of pieces of stamped paper was 9,772,059,664 an increase of 440,140,609; books of stamps, 18,213,310 an increase of 526,510. That the issue of postage stamps will cross the ten billion mark during the fiscal year 1909 is confidently anticipated.

Two More Options.

The local representatives of Meikleham & Dinsmore, the promoters of the dam project, Wednesday secured two more options on desired property, and at fair prices. No progress has been made in the cases where exhorbitant prices are asked for land. A striking illustration of the differences of opinions in men has been brought to light during the past few days. One man at South Towanda, purchased a number of acres of land at $500 per acre. He was firm in the belief that it was not worth over $200 but he wanted the land, in fact had to have it at the time, and so paid the high price. When the dam promoters approached him, he optioned the same land at $125 per acre, saying the price was $75 less than it's real value, but he wanted to help the town. Another man owning land adjoining this says $500 an acre or nothing, notwithstanding the fact that other property owners tell him; and show him that his land is not worth a penny more than theirs and they have optioned at from $125 to $200 per acre.

Bible School at Montrose.

The Montrose Evangelization Society, of which Dr. Torrey will be the head, has been formed and will enlarge the plans and scope of the Conference association. This will be a Bible school for young people, which will be conducted in Montrose three months of the year, and will probably start next June. It wil be permanent and is intended for the clergy as wel as the laity. It is intended largely as a training school for evangelists and hundreds of young men especially are expected to be attracted by the work.

Newspaper Change.

The Wilkes-Barre News, the only Democratic newspaper in that city, changed hands Thursday, George J. Stegmaier and Ambrose West, the owners, disposing of the plant to Thomas F. Heffernan, Republican leader of Luzerne County and the Posmaster of the city, and John Hurigan, a well known newspaper man, for many years with the Wilkes-Barre Record.

Waverly Man Killed.

Michael McNamara, a resident of Waverly, was instantly killed while attempting to alight from rapidly moving westbound freight train No. 77, Saturday morning, shortly after 10 o'clock at a point between Water and Market streets, in Elmira. He stumbled, causing him to be whirled under the wheels. The body was terribly mutilated and one part was completely separated from the other by the remainder of the train.

Will Be Returned to Dansville.

Arthur Strope of Luthers Mills, last evening was placed in the county jail on an insanity charge. He is 32 years of age, and was for a time confined in the asylum at Danville, returning home some time ago. He has been acting strangely again, and has threatened his relatives, until they are in fear. He will be returned to Danville.

Will Attend Anniversary.

Rev. W. S. H. Heermans of Towanda, has been invited and expects to attend the 50th anniversary of the erection of the Penn Yan academy at Penn Yan, N. Y., on June 24. Mr. Heermans was an instructor in the academy for five years previous to his entering the ministry in 1879.

North Towanda Cooler.

The Epworth League will serve ice cream in the league room at the M. E. church Friday evening June 18. Come and cool your palates and help the young people in their work.

GOOD ADVICE.

Prof. Surface Tells How to Start Young Trees to Growing.

State Zoologist Surface says that the cherry is the hardest to make grow of any fruit trees that we can plant. One is doing well if he can get fifty per cent. of them to grow, but after they do start they generally come on during the second year and subsequently stay in good condition. This is due chiefly to the fact that the tree has so few fine or small roots, such as are needed for taking up immediate moisture and plant food, and it takes some time for it to form such roots. Its first effort to grow is a drain on its stored vitality. When this is exhausted the tree is liable to die by wilting at this time of year.

Last year the Professor performed a series of important experiments in stimulating declining trees that had been planted only a few weeks or a few months. He used various vegetable alkaloids, such as nuxvomica, strychnia, etc., and also nitrate of soda, and found that the last named was by far the best and most efficient stimulant and was also the cheapest. He had excellent results from watering, deborning and cutting back, and especially from watering declining trees, a teaspoonful of nitrate of soda being dissolved in each gallon of water. The watering should be very extensive. Before applying the water, the soil should be well tramped firmly around the roots. Of course, this should not be done while the ground is wet. Pack it well around the roots, then apply as much water as possible, or at least a bucket to each young tree, after having dissolved a teaspoon ful of nitrate of soda in each gallon of water. Two or three good waterings of this kind, and mulching around the tree with stable dressing, will do more good than anything else to give it a start.

If you did not cut back the top well, removing at least two-thirds of the woody growth that was upon it, it should yet be trimmed, in order to throw vigor into the few buds that remain. Most persons in setting trees do not cut back far enough.

As to the time of planting, the earlier in the Spring the cherry tree is planted, the better it is. There is no kind of fruit tree that demands such early planting as the cherry, and it will suffer more severely from late planting than any other kind.

TOWANDA TO HAVE REST ROOM.

Village Improvement Society Has Set About to Provide Place.

With commendable spirit the Village Improvement society, which has done many things worth while for the betterment of conditions in Towanda, has now set about to provide a rest room for shoppers. This room will be open for people who come to the county seat to shop, and people of the town also who become tired and weary after a long walk through the many fine stores.

To secure funds for this purpose the Improvement Society has inaugurated a scheme which should prove very popular and efficient. It is the "tag day" scheme where a young lady spots an unsuspecting person, fastens a tag on their coat and in return receives a contribution. Some thus tagged give a dime, some a nickle, some a quarter, while others with more money to spend do not hesitate in giving anywhere from $1 to $10.

The "tagging" of people will be a feature of Friday, of this week, and anyone without a Village Improvement tag will look just as odd as they would with their clothes inside out.

A rest room for shoppers is greatly needed, and it is safe to say that the young ladies with the tags will secure a lot of money.

Kiss is Sufficient.

To the question of "is it likely that a girl will be happier as an old man's darling than a young man's slave. Miss S. W. Kennedy, living on R. F. D. 38, Wyalusing, won a dollar prize by sending the following answer to a Philadelphia paper:

Were I forced to make a venture
On the matrimonial sea,
Rest assured the sailing orders
Of the craft would come from me.

Fancy having Captain Youngman,
With a megaphone at lip,
Shouting orders fast and furious,
Prancing proudly o'er the ship!

Rather would I brave the voyage
In a punt no longer young,
With adoring Captain Oldman
Taking orders from my tongue.

When at best, to fair young sailors,
'Tis a cruise that's not a cinch,
Why should one select a captain
Who will emphasize the pinch?

So before I draw up anchor
At the port of single bliss,
I'll take passage with that captain
Whose command is just a kiss

St. Agnes Alumni Officers.

Following the annual banquet of the St. Agnes High School Alumni association on Thursday evening, the following officers of the association were elected for the ensuing year: President, Arthur Carroll; vice-president, John Crimmins; treasurer, John Quigley; secretary, Mrs. Henry Swingle. The banquet was served by Mrs. Coleman, the cateress, and was very nice. The address of the evening, was delivered by Rev. Hugh J. Ruddy, curate of the Church of SS. Peter and Paul.

Will Issue Extra.

A special edition of The Daily Review will be issued at noon on Friday, June 25, the second old home day. The names of the winners in the great six mile race will be published, as will a full account of the great event. The papers will be sold on the street as soon after the finish of the race as possible. The price will be the same, two cents per copy.

Postmasters Meet Today.

It is expected that not less than 250 postmasters of Pennsylvania will attend the second annual sessions of the Postmasters' Asociation of Pennsylvania, which will open in Altoona today. Among the prominent men to be present are First Assistant Postmaster General C. P. Grandfield, of Washington, D. C., and Chief Inspector Cortelyou, of Philadelphia.

Reporter-Journal $1 a year.

MERCHANTS' MEETING.

Fine Time and Profitable Business Outing at Camptown Friday.

Says the Wyalusing Rocket: "One of the most pleasant outings and business meetings of the Merchants' Mutual Protective Association was held at Camptown on Friday, in fact probably the most pleasant in the history of the association. The members arrived in this place from Tunkhannock, Skinners Eddy, Meshoppen and Laceyville in the morning and taking the auto line to Camptown entered upon a day that notwithstanding the rain and disagreeable weather, was one of enjoyment and mutual profit.

"The meeting was called to order by President Bosworth upon the arrival of the members at Camptown, and after a profitable business session, in which many matters of interest to the merchants along the valley of the Susquehanna was thoroughly discussed, especially the matter of Sunday opening of business places and the sale of merchandise on that day being given a thorough airing, and the fact brought out that merchants who thus break the law were liable to a fine of four dollars for every sale on that day and that it was the sense of the Association that it was only a matter of a short time when steps would be taken to see that this law was enforced.

After the hour of profit spent in these discussions, came the call to the dinner, furnished by the Camptown Ladies' Aid society. The Association has had many "feeds"—but yellow legged chickens and their accompaniments, ice cream, cake, and coffee that had cream so heavy that it seemed solid gold almost to those who were used to the milk of the towns, button-hole boquets, and a service that—well what's the use in trying to use mere words to describe perfection.

"After a few short expressions of appreciation for the good things served the members of the Association, the merchants again repaired to the main room of the Odd Fellows' building, going from the dining room in the rear, when the day's business was completed by electing President Bosworth and Secretary Henwood the delegates to the state convention to be held at Pottsville in August, and also selecting Ulster as the place for holding the July meeting although for the latter, the choice of the entire membership was Camptown, but counsel prevailed to such an extent that a return trip was left till in the Fall when the members and their wives will enjoy the auto outing, the hospitality and kindly welcome of the Camptown ladies, of whom the editor of the Rocket on this as on all occasions is extremly proud—and the social hour that is always one of the enjoyable features when the ladies are along.

"There were thirty-six members of the Association in attendance; three new names were also proposed at this meeting and elected members of the Association."

WANT SIX INSTITUTES.

County Chairman Platt Asks For Two Additional Meetings.

Erwin Platt of Wysox, chairman of Bradford county farmers' institutes, and member of the State Board of Agriculture, has asked the State Board for six institutes for Bradford County this year, an addition of two over former years.

Chairman Platt wants an institute held at Orwell Hill, and on the same dates one at North Orwell, the state lecturers separating, one going to each place. The other places which he has asked for are Litchfield, Smithfield, Troy and Franklindale.

The dates will be set and the lecturers named for these institutes by the assistant secretary of the State Department of Agriculture, who has charge of the farmers' institute work.

Snakes at Weston.

On Wednesday afternoon, S. A. Swingle, who lives in Mrs. T. F. Madill's house at Weston Station, was busy hoeing potatoes, when he heard a strange noise in the house. Thinking it was his wife who had been straw-berrying, he went into the house but found no one there and went back to work. The next day his son killed a blacksnake which measured six feet and about an hour later Mrs. Swingle went up stairs in the house and found another blacksnake lying on the floor which she held with a hoe while her daughter, Mrs. Harry Schoonover cut its head off with an ax. This one measured seven feet and six inches.

Rose Fair Judge.

Harry N. Hoffman, the nurseryman and landscape gardener of Elmira, shows his interest in the Rose Fair in Epworth Hall next Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings by offering six Hybrid Perpetual rose bushes for the best collection of roses correctly named. The bushes will be delivered this fall or next Spring as the winner may elect. Mr. Hoffman is a rose authority and has consented to act as judge of the roses. All roses must be in place next Thursday afternoon at one o'clock. Contestants must have grown the roses they offer in competition. There will be at least eight prizes offered.

Away With the Barn Dance.

The local trippers of the "light fantastic toe" will be interested to learn that the "barn" dance will not be taught in the future by any member of the United Professional Teachers of Dancing Association. It will be supplanted by the "gayety" dance, said to be on similar lines but more graceful and refined.

Lost His Purse.

D. D. Exter, who makes his home at the Ochs house, Wednesday night while enroute home from Wyalusing on the local train, had the misfortune to lose a purse containing $102, including four new $20 bills on the Wyalusing bank, also a number of note bearing his name. A reward is offered for their return.

Goes to Syracuse.

Ray Wortendyke, formerly of Towanda, who for a long time has had charge of the air brake department of the Lehigh shops at Sayre, will go to Syracuse in a few days where he will take charge of a large automobile repair factory.

THIEF ENTERED TOWANDA HOME BUT DROPPED BOOTY.

Residence of Hollis Watkins on Elizabeth Street, Visited Tuesday Night

A sneak thief entered the home of Hollis Watkins on Elizabeth street, between Second and Third streets, some time during Tuesday night, stole $39, a watch and bracelet, but in his haste to get away, dropped part of the money and the bracelet.

Mr. Watkins placed his coat on a chair near a window on the first floor. In one of the coat pockets was a wallet containing $39. The thief raised the window, climbed in and after taking the money, picked up an Ingersoll watch and bracelet and started to leave by the way he entered.

He evidently became frightened, for just inside the window yesterday morning was found $34, while outside under the window was found the bracelet, dropped presumably by the thief, who from the looks of things made a scramble to get out of the house. A valuable gold watch which was on a shelf in the room was overlooked by the visitor.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Binghamton Contractor Killed Under Automobile Near Owego.

Charles J. Brintnail, the well known contractor of Binghamton, was instantly killed beneath his automobile about two miles east of Owego about 5:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, while on his way to Owego to dinner with G. Max Ricks and George A. Quick.

In company with his friends and with his chauffeur, Harry Pearsall, Mr. Brintnail left Binghamton shortly after four o'clock for a pleasure ride to Owego.

Mr. Brintnail was driving the car, and when a couple of miles from their destination, in dodging a mudhole the cra became unmanageable, plunged through a guard rail and landed upside down in a ditch. Mr. Brintnail's neck was broken and he was instantly killed when the car fell on him. He was 38 years of age and unmarried. He is survived by his mother and one sister.

HORSE RACES.

Matinee Session to Be Held on the Fair Ground on Saturday.

Matinee horse races will be held on the East Towanda fair grounds on Saturday afternoon of this week, commencing at 1:30 o'clock. There will be three first class events. The 2:30 class will have a $50 purse, the free for all $100, and there will be a match race of half mile heats between "Jack London," owned by J. G. Pratt, and "R. F. D. No. 3," owned by J. N. McKean. Both horses are very fast, and both have a large number of followers who will witness the contest.

Entries for the 2:30 and free for all will be received until Saturday noon. Dr. L. G. Marshall is secretary of the races, and entries should be addressed to him.

Valuable Colt Suicides.

Says the Scranton Tribune: "George Reeves, a farmer residing near Lake Winola, is mourning the loss of a valuable colt that committed suicide by hanging the forepart of last week. It hung itself with a long strand of wild grape vine. Wild grapes predominate in one portion of the Reeves pasture lot where the colt was quartered and the animal showed a fondness for that part of the field where the grapes were, despite the fact that it was frequently driven away from them. Finally the animal was tethered in the hope that it could be kept away from that portion of the field, but one morning recently when Reeves went to look for the colt it was gone. It had broken its tether. Investigation revealed the body of the colt in the wild grape vines. It had caught its head in a long strand of vine and kept twisting itself around until the improvised rope had wound tightly and strangled the animal to death."

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight

unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle" he writes. "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and $1.00 Trial bottle free, guaranteed by Turner's Drug store.

Chancellor Brennan Present.

Rev. Andrew J. Brennan, D. D., chancellor of the Scranton Diocese of the Catholic church, was present at the commencement exercises of St. Agnes school Thursday evening, and presented the medals and diplomas to the graduates. Dr. Brennan is a graduate of St. Agnes, and it was fitting that he should be in attendance at the exercises and present the diplomas. Dr. Brennan goes to Corning today, where he will have charge of the services at which the Rev. Father Sullivan, recently ordained, will celebrate his first mass.

Good Prices for Poultry.

Says the LeRaysville Times: This section is getting quite a reputation as a place in which to secure high grade poultry. This is clearly shown by the many sales being made by poultry fanciers. Last week George F. Pratt, a larg breeder of Black Minorcas, sold to George B. Kesner of Belmar, N. J., 20 birds that brought him in cash $90.

Finger Crushed.

Miss Mary Laughlin of Poplar street, Wednesday had the misfortune to get one of her fingers in the machinery of a washing machine. The member was badly crushed, but will not have to be amputated. Dr. T. Ben Johnson dressed the injury.

LeRaysville School Matters.

The school board of LeRaysville organized last week and the following weer chosen as officers: S. H. Davis, president; George E. Billings, secretary; Samuel Davis, treasurer. The following were decided upon as teachers for the coming year: Principal, Irving Alger; intermediate, Andrew Whittaker; primary, Miss Norma Davis.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Consideration.

Athens Twp.—April 30, 1909. R. E. Chandler and wife to Charles W. Chandler, 125 acres, $1,500.

Athens Boro.—April 19, 1909. O. L. Haverly and wife to William M. Minor; lot, $1,200.

Sayre Boro.—May 3, 1909. Timothy O'Brien and wife to Patrick Mahoney; lot, $1.

Monroe Boro.—Feb. 21, 1908. Estate of D. M. Hinman to J. F. Park; lot, $475.

Monroe Boro.—Sept. 22, 1908. J. F. Park and wife to S. M. Hottenstein; lot, $1.

Wyalusing Twp.—March, 1909. H. C. Woodfield to Susie I. Friedburg; 1¼ acres, $1,200.

South Creek Twp.—April 28, 1909. Willis H. Page to Aimee Paige; lots, $1

Sayre Boro.—April 23, 1909. Clara A. and Edson P. Tewksbury to F. Marion Pierce; lot, $1.

Burlington Twp.—Feb. 15, 1909. Andrew Merring to Mertie Alexander; 3 acres, $200.

Albany Twp.—March 12, 1893. N. L. Miller and wife to F. P. Miller; lot, $60.

Albany Twp.—Sept. 3, 1896. Ruth A. and Burton Allen to F. R. Miller; lots, $500.

Wilmot Twp.—Jan. 25, 1909. Katherine Carpenter and others to George Kneller; 60 acres, $10.

Sayre Boro.—April 2, 1909. Edgar D. Adamy and wife to Arthur C. Stroup; lot, $2,300.

Canton Twp.—Jan. 4, 1909. Clara M. Parker and Encie M. Rawle to L. M. Marble; lot, $1.

Wilmot Twp.—April 15, 1909. Martin R. Stalford to Harry Rosengrant; lots, $900.

Asylum Twp.—May 8, 1909. Simeon D. Ellis and wife to Arthur J. Ellis; 32 acres, $600.

Monroe Twp.—May 8, 1909. Hiram Miller to Cordelia S. Miller; 45 acres, $700.

North Towanda Twp.—April 4, 1901. George E. Foster and wife to Harriet M. White; lot, $500.

Canton Twp.—April 26, 1909. Lola M. and J. M. Jones to Thomas S. Green; lot, $400.

Smithfield Twp.—June 18, 1903. Job Morley to O. C. Cranmer and others; 75 acres, $225.

Smithfield Twp.—April 5, 1909. Ella and Daniel Truesdale to O. C. Cranmer; 75 acres, $60.

Smithfield Twp.—April 19, 1909. Harry B. Gates and others to O. C. Cranmer; 75 acres, $90.

Smithfield Twp.—Nov. 14, 1907. Hattie and John S. Hodge to O. C. Cranmer; 75 acres, $60.

Smithfield Twp.—May 5, 1905. Frances and Clarence K. Winters to O. C. Cranmer; 75 acres, $100.

Terry Twp.—May 4, 1909. Edward Hansel and wife to Samuel M. Wells; lot, $900.

Canton Boro.—May 5, 1909. William L. Mitchell and wife to H. C. Stone; lot, $830.

West Burlington Twp.—May 11, 1909 Sophia Taylor to Frank Darrow; 49 acres, $500.

Rome Twp.—May 8, 1909. Otis L. Russell to Earl Russell; lots, $1.

Smithfield Twp.—Nov. 16, 1886. Charles C. Cross and wife to William L. Riggs and Joseph H. Knickerbocker; lot, $130.

Wyalusing Boro.—April 14, 1909. E. A. Strong and wife to Carrie A. Sands; lot, $1,300.

Athens Boro.—March 9, 1895. G. L. VanScoten and wife to E. U. Newton; lot, $200.

Athens Boro.—Aug. 3, 1903. William E. Brennan and wife to E. U. Newton; lot, $25.

Athens Boro.—April 1, 1909. Emma and A. V. Weaver to E. U. Newton; lot, $175.

Athens Boro.—Feb. 20, 1909. Elmer N. Briggs and wife to William S. Catlin; lot, $1,100.

South Creek Twp.—May 1, 1909. Aimee and Willis H. Paige to Thomas F. Connelly; lots, $1.

Herrick Twp.—March 10, 1909. John L. Camp and wife to John C. Lee; 192 acres and 159 perches, $1.

Terry Twp.—Jan. 16, 1909. George B. Richards and wife to Mily E. Jones; 5 acres, $550.

Albany Twp.—April 22, 1909. J. P. Kirby and wife to Jay H. Allen; 30 acres, $1,134.39.

Canton Twp.—March 6, 1905. Daniel Innes and wife to Lincoln L. Stone; lot, $1.

Canton Twp.—May 6, 1909. Thomas M. Brann and others to James Terry, Sr., and others; lot, $600.

Sayre Boro.—May 15, 1909. Edson A. Rockwell and wife to Edward E. and Jennie Etta Yost; lot, $2,300.

LeRoy Twp.—May 8, 1909. Amanda J. and Darius E. Griswold to H. Ia and Vernie Merrick; lots, $2,050.

Armenia Twp.—Nov. 6, 1906. Olen L. Jackson and wife to Amherst J. Jackson; 110 acres, $450.

Orwell and Pike Twps.—May 6, 1909. George Jay and wife to Lucinda H. Overpeck; 50 acres, $1.

Athens Boro.—Feb. 5, 1904. The Tioga Point Cemetery to F. Smith; lot, $20.

Athens Boro.—May 10, 1909. Bertha I. and Henry K. Spalding to John H. and Myra C. Baker; lot.

Albany Twp.—May 18, 1909. Estate of Mary A. Hurlburt to J. Martin Corson; lot, $455.

Columbia Twp.—March 4, 1908. Geo. A. Austin and others to Mary A. Knapp; lots, $2.

South Waverly Boro.—May 19, 1909. John Struhm and wife to Lester Swain; lot, $1.

South Waverly Boro.—May 19, 1909. Patrick J. Normile and wife to Lizzie Normile; lot, $1.

Armenia Twp.—May 19, 1909. Amherst J. Jackson to Fred Clark; 110 acres, $800.

Canton Twp.—Sept. 1, 1903. Martha Matson to A. D. Lawrence, lot, $900.

New Albany Boro.—Dec. 20, 1907. Estate of Cyrus A. Plummer to A. D. Lawrence; lots, $2,100.

Sheshequin Twp.—April 12, 1905. Frank Zeller and wife to F. G. Payne; 25 acres, $568.34.

Sayre Boro.—May 5, 1909. Henry H. Ackerman and wife to Theodore Thomas Shaffer; lot, $1.

Smithfield Twp.—May 17, 1909. Allie D. Burlingame and wife to E. W. Mitchell; 10 acres, $400.

Sayre Boro.—May 20, 1909. Seeley VanGorder and wife to Alice VanGorder; lot, $1.

It is always better to jump on the worm before he has time to turn.

NEW ALBANY.

Paul L. Haverly of Towanda, made a business trip to this place on Friday.

Prof. J. Andrew Morrow was a business man in this place on Friday.

The New Albany school board met Friday night and adopted Dodge's geographies and the Watson & White arithmetic as an improvement on the ones previously used.

Little Miss Dorothy Mynard of Dushore, spent Friday the guest of Miss Helen Keeler.

Herbert Norton and family are down from Sayre.

The following young ladies have returned from Mansfield Normal for the summer vacation: Edna Wilcox, Ione Silvara, Kathryn Brink, and Olive Johnson.

Miss Bess Wilcox returned home from Bermuda on Saturday after having spent a few days in New York with her brother. Mrs. Rex Wilcox accompanied her home where she will visit.

Sam Billings and family of Parsons, W. Va., are visiting at the home of his brother.

New Albany played baseball at Wyalusing on Saturday with the nine of that place and got beautifully walloped by a score of 17-3.

J. H. Dempsey was a business man in the City of Promise on Monday.

Mrs. F. P. Corcoran attended the funeral of the late Miss Lula Tomilson at Williamsport on Monday of last week.

FASSETT.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Decker and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Baimer spent Sunday in Watkins.

Mrs. Ola Mason and daughter, Winifred of Corning, visited at G. W. Strong's the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balmer visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Youman's Sunday.

C. F. Moore made a business trip to Elmira and Horseheads Wednesday.

Mrs. Julia Gurnsey returned to her home in Elmira Monday after spending a few days with Mrs. Anna Ferguson.

Mrs. Claude Southwell visited her son in Elmira over Sunday.

William Southwell and daughter of Equinunk, Pa., spent several days of last week with his brother, Charles Southwell.

Mrs. Fred Balmer and Miss Daisy Tillinghast spent Wednesday their sister, Mrs. A. Youmans.

Miss Elizabeth Dillon of Wells, visited at G. W. Strong's during the week.

Mrs. Anna Ferguson spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. John VanWert.

F. H. Smith of Elmira, visited his mother on Monday.

LEONA.

Mrs. Decker of Chemung, spent several days the past week with Rev. W. A. Stackhouse and wife.

Mrs. Rockwell and daughter Sadie from Canton, were visitors at W. H. McMahon's the past week. Mr. McMahon is still in very poor health.

Mrs. Edna Harkness of Springfield is spending the week at E. J. Kennedy's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ballard spent Saturday at Elmira.

Miss Rhea Meade is visiting her sister at Towanda for a couple of weeks.

Austin Kenyon, H. M. Griffith, Robert Kier and M. O. Grithen with their wives attended children's day exercises at Wetona on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. David Kier and Mrs. Elmer Kennedy are attending commence-week at the Mansfield Normal.

Mrs. Robert J. Halpin of Mt. Clair, N. Y., is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kennedy.

SHESHEQUIN.

Alberta Cranmer has gone to New York.

W. M. Spangenburg went to Waverly last Saturday.

George Starr of Elmira, is visiting at Emery Irvin's.

Mrs. S. G. Townsend is ill.

Mrs. Lowell of Athens, and Mrs. Ellsworth of Nichols, are visiting Mrs. L. M. Snyder.

Marguerite Henderson of Trinket, is visiting Eva Watkins.

Mrs. Chamberlain of Towanda, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Watkins.

The ladies of the Universalist church will serve ice cream and strawberries at the town hall Saturday evening, June 26. All are cordially invited to attend.

MAC.

Mrs. Camp of Powell, is visiting at Marvin Foster's.

Oscar Black and Miss Mattie Black of Towanda, were guests at Robert Kendall's Thursday.

Miss Florence Foster is a little better from her recent serious illness.

Miss Beatrice Wrisley of Luthers Mills, was a guest at Mrs. Susan Wheeler's last week.

Viola and Gladys Tuttle of Sayre, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tuttle.

Carl Litzelman of Sayre, is spending some time with his uncle, Arthur Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gale of Burlingotn, were callers at Leslie Mingos' on Sunday.

SOUTH GHENT.

Joseph Pickering of Cazenovia seminary and Miss Nettie Archer of Wysox, are spending some time with their uncle, M. A. Stephenson, and family.

Mrs. Grace Young and Miss Edith Wright spent Tuesday with the former daughter, Mrs. William Kirkendall, at Windham.

Miss Edna Horton of Hornbrook, is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. R. W. Ransom.

Horace Horton and family of Sayre, have been spending sometime at Edward Horton's.

John Bustin and Frank Crowley are plowing for Buckwheat on the Isaac Shores farm.

Miss Clara Coveney of Brink Hill, spent Sunday at G. W. Bustin's.

LUTHERS MILLS.

Prof. E. E. Morley has gone to Grove City, Pa., to attend college.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Morgan entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rockwell of Troy, on Thursday of last week.

Cora Carman spent a week at Wysox recently.

Mrs. French of Elmira, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Carman.

Luthers Mills people are planning a large Third of July celebration. The notices will appear later.

EAST TROY.

Mrs. Julia Buckhout of Elmira, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sarah Loomis, at Rose Dale Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenough of Ridgeway, is at the home of his parents for a two week's vacation from his duties as railway clerk on the Pennsylvania road.

Rev. and Mrs. Skillet are entertaining Mrs. Skillet's father from the Hudson for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ballard of Washington, Pa., and Loyd Gamble Cole of the Michigan University, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cole of Robinhurst.

Hiss Mary Stanton is ill.

There were forty members of Hector Lodge and a few from Burlington and Granville who attended the memorial service on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Hess gave a good and appropriate sermon. He reported that eleven of the members had passed away since the lodge was organized.

On Friday of this week at the home of Mrs. Elmer Churchill from three until five p. m., those who help in the exercises at the Methodist church will be served ice cream and cake and in the evening the older ones will be made welcome who rendered assistance in decorating the church or in the music.

On last Saturday evening a large audience gathered at the Baptist church to see the exercises by the children. A good program was rendered. Thirty-five were in the march and all did fine. It was a credit to those who drilled them.

FRANKLINDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sickler recently visited at Merton Smith's at Luthers Mills.

Perry Strope and Arthur and Lloyd Bacon killed a blacksnake four feet six inches long last week.

Mr. Martin of Parclay, Miss Lucie Green of Powell, Mrs. John Trenchard and Mrs. Fred Rauner of Athens, visited at H. Brown's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Strope of Highland, visited at John Strope's last Friday.

Dr. Blair Lyon of Ulster, and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Fairbanks of West Franklin, visited at Dr. Eugene Lyon's Sunday.

Melvin Shiner visited at L. Bailey's at Granville on Sunday.

Clinton Rinebold and Mrs. Martha Dodge of East Burlington, visited at Merrit Gray's Sunday.

Mrs. James McKean of Towanda, visited friends here Sunday.

George Burleigh and family of Powell, visited at George Jennings' on Sunday.

There will be Children's day exercises at the Weston school house next Sunday, June 27, and also at the M. E. church in this place.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Ellis is very ill.

George Bailey and family of Overshot, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Minard of Monroeton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Bradford Ellis, on Sunday.

Over $27 was realized at the strawberry festival.

SYLVANIA.

Mrs. W. H. Bradford entertained at tea on Friday afternoon, Mrs. Martha Scouten, Miss Fanny Scouten, Miss Jennie Scouten, Mrs. Richard Simmons and son Norton, Mrs. Bert Strange, Mrs. Laura Strange, Mrs. D. B. York and daughter Dorothy, Mrs. Maud Slingerland, Mrs. S. M. Canedy, Mrs. Edna Sands and Mrs. Minerva Bailey.

Cards of invitation are out to the wedding of Miss Bessie M. Evans, formerly of this place, and Fred L. Smith of Sayre.

Mrs. Bert Strange and Mrs. Laura Strange entertained at tea Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. W. H. Bradford, Mrs. F. I. Bradford, Miss Fanny Scouten, Mrs. Martha Scouten, Mrs. A. A. Garman, Miss Jennie Scouten, Mrs. Richard Simmons and son Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Button and son Leslie visited Mr. and Mrs. John Cowan Sunday.

Lulu Card was home from the Mansfield Normal Saturday.

William Sherman has been quite ill for [illegible] week.

Children's day will be observed at the Disciple church on Sunday evening.

Alden Keyes is very ill again.

ORWELL.

Miss T. J. Brown is visiting friends in Tioga Center.

Mrs. James Moore of Warren Center, spent a few days in this place last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Davis, near Lulu Jillson, of Philadelphia arrived in town Monday.

Benjamin Kuykendall of Towanda is with his sister, Mrs. H. J. Frisbie, for the Summer.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Eastman of Millburn, N. J., June 18, a son.

Miss A. C. Pendleton, who has been spending the Winter with her brother in Waverly, returned to her home in this place Saturday.

The C. E. Society will hold an ice cream social at J. I. Eastman's on Friday evening of this week. Everyone cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Robertson are visiting friends in Newark Valley.

Miss Edna Wilbur has gone to Athens for a couple of weeks.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Green on Thursday of next week, July 1, for tea. Everyone invited.

HERRICKVILLE.

John J. Moon and family of Rummerfield, and Verne J. Doane and wife of Windham Center, spent Sunday at A. A. Campbell's.

J. C. Mitten and wife spent Sunday with friends at Camptown.

Miss Pearl Atwood is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Overpeck.

Little Howard Tucker, youngest son of Decator Tucker, is still very ill with Bright's disease.

Howard Taylor of Warren Center, was calling at M. A. Overpeck's on Sunday.

Miss Sevanah Chaffee, who has been spending some time visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Taylor, at Warren Center, returned home on Sunday.

Great preparations are being made for the fiftieth anniversary of the Herrick church, to be held at that place on June 30. Dinner and supper will be furnished by the ladies of that place.

Loaned Themselves Half Million,

ST. AGNES COMMENCEMENT

Eight Young Ladies Finish Studies at This Well Known Parochial School.

EXERCISES WERE LARGELY ATTENDED

Beautiful and Commodious St. Agnes Hall Was Completely Filled by Relatives and Friends of the Graduates and Patrons of the School.

The annual commencement exercises of the St. Agnes High school, Towanda's well known and successful parochial institution of learning, were held in St. Agnes hall Thursday evening.

There was an unusually large attendance, the beautiful and commodious auditorium being completely filled by relatives and friends of the graduates and patrons of the school. In the vast audience were a number of the most prominent educators in the county, besides many protestants, whose children attend the public schools.

For the opening of the exercises, the stage was prettily decorated, the class colors, pink and grey, and the class flowers, the American beauty rose and daisies forming attractive parts of the decorations. The class motto: "Deus et Officium," which translated means "God and Duty," was in the background. The members of the class, Rose Emily Archer, Gertrude Bridget Campbell, Gertrude Nevius Head, Helen Marie Howley, Stella Teresa Russell, Florence Amelia Splan, Florence Sullivan, and Nellie Mary Schumann, were seated on the stage when the curtain was raised.

Rev. J. J. Coroner, pastor of the Church of SS. Peter and Paul, and who is at the head of the school, made a brief address, appropriate to the occasion, after which the presentation of medals and diplomas was made by his reverence.

The Salutatory.

Miss Florence A. Splan, the salutatorian of the class, in a clever manner, welcomed the people, after which she read a splendid essay on "Woman and the Higher Education." She said in part:

As we look back to the beginning of the nineteenth century the achievements with which it has been crowded thrill us with a sense of gratitude and wonder.

In its hundred years man has made greater progress than in any preceding thousand. His control of nature seems now first to have begun. Steam and electricity have placed him in a new world where time and space lose half their tyrannous power.

But the progress of the nineteenth century has not been solely or chiefly material or practical. The advance theoretical knowledge has been great enough to change the point of view from which we contemplate the heavens and the earth.

But it is especially in the matter of education that the superiority of our age over all others is most manifest. In the past, knowledge was the privilege of the few and the masses were ignorant. Having built schools for all, we feel that our chief business now is to improve them until they become nurseries of a richer, nobler and more Godlike life. In considering this question, and their superiority of our century, its chief glory perhaps a splendor which falls on our own country more than on any other, is revealed, the position and opportunities it has given to woman.

The indelible stain on the page of history is the world's treatment of woman. Through the ages man has been unjust to man, cruel even, but the woman seemed to be almost beyond the pale of humanity.

She was his drudge, his slave his chattel. She was a thing to be bought and sold to be played with in idle hours and in the rest, to be immuned in the two-fold darkness of ignorance and confining walls.

The savage went wife-hunting as he hunted beasts of prey; the barbarian also captured his woman in war, or he bought her. Woman was the great outcast of the human race and it would seem that only the coming of a god could have given her courage to hope for a better fate. It is still asserted that woman is incapable of serious mental training and that the habits she forms in attempting to acquire the best education, make her discontented with her proper work, unfit her to become wife and mother and take from her something of the sweetness, purity and moral beauty which constitute her greatest charm, and on which the welfare of the race so largely depends.

In reply to whatever doubts and objections of this kind, it is enough to say that the adversaries of the highest intellectual culture either do not understand what education is or do not believe in its divine efficacy.

Education is simply the process whereby the powers which constitute a human being are strengthened, developed and brought into act.

Since the close of the Civil War, America has entered upon the work of providing for the higher education of women with an energy and generosity unequalled by any other country.

With us women have acess to all kinds of schools and to nearly all professions. They are no longer accustomed to look to marriage as their one aim in life. They are brought up to trust to their own intelligence and industry to maintain themselves in the world.

Their success in study is equal to that of men and their eagerness to improve themselves seems to be greater. The number of women, who in the various institutions, are receiving the higher intellectual culture is large and is rapidly increasing.

The genuinely great are seldom to be met with. How rare is the great poet, artist historian orator, general physician or lawyer. So rare also are great teachers.

May rarest of all, it may be since it is not the intellect or the imagination or the heart alone that educates but the whole man.

Not only are the multitude more intelligent than they have ever been but the best knowledge on all subjects is now within the reach of many readers, so that in every community there are some at least who will not tolerate that the accredited public teachers should give evidence of ignorance or of the lack of the best training.

Let us not be so dull as to ignore the gifts of woman. Let us not be of those who still doubt whether it is not better that she should be a simpleton; who think that only superficially educated women can make good wives and mothers. In all companionship the lowest ends to pull the higher down, for it is easy to sink and hard to rise. Hence an ignorant wife and mother will dull the minds of her husband and children while one who is intelligent and appreciative will be for them a strong stimulus to self-activity.

It is the nature of an enlightened mind to diffuse light, of a generous soul to make love prevail, of a noble character to build character.

Therefore let us applaud and assist every effort made by women themselves to uplift, strengthen and enlighten women.

Fine Numbers.

As is customary at St. Agnes school, a feature of the commencement exercises is an entertainment by the pupils of the school. As music, vocal and instrumental, is successfully taught in the school, the pupils in these branches come in for parts in the entertainment, and they always make good, Thursday evening being no exception.

The "Children's Hour," by Misses Gertrude Campbell and Nellie Schumann, was vigorously applauded as was the "Princess Gavotte," by the grammar girls. "Merry Lads and Lassies" by the Misses Marguerite Burchill and Anna Hogan, proved a fine number.

James Carron, a graduate of the school, being a member of the class of 1908 gave a good oration, using for his theme, "Ireland and Her People." He is a good speaker for his years, and made an excellent impression.

A little playette entitled "What's in the Basket," was splendidly given by a number of little girls. It was cleverly done, and deserved the hearty applause. "The Hero and the Fairies," an instrumental selection by the Misses Catharine Begley and Fern Vosburg, was well executed. The little boys in the circus song brought down the house so to speak.

After a selection by the St. Agnes orchestra, a song and drill by the St. Agnes Guards proved highly entertaining. Miss Florence Sullivan took the part of the goddess of liberty in this number, and added to the beauty of the setting. William Nagle was drillmaster, Arthur Carroll captain, and John Crimmins officiated as lieutenant of the guards. They performed some fancy military moves, much to the entertainment of the large audience.

The next number was a march played on the piano by the Misses Teresa McMahon and Nellie Kinney. They proved good pianists, and wre heartily applauded. "In the Garden of Dreams," by the little girls was another one of those numbers where the audience sit straight up and noticed everything going on on the stage. A Mazurka was well played by Misses Gertrude Anthony and Elizabeth Fitgerand.

"Always Leave Them Laughing When you say Good-Bye," a song and dance act was cleverly executed, showing careful training of the performers. This number brought hearly applause. The next number was by the junior orchestra, and it was good.

Miss Katharine Delehunt, one of the school's most promising vocalists sang "Not Like Other Girls" to good effect. She has a sweet voice, and sings well. Thomas F. Carroll, an alumnus of the school gave a good address on "Ideals." He is a clever speaker, and pleased the audience. A piano solo by the Misses Anna Cleary and Nellie Kinney, and one by Misses Gertrude Anthony and Mary Delehunt, were excellent.

Miss Mary Watycha, another promising vocalist, rendered to fine effect "The New Kingdom" and was vigorously applauded.

"Nicodemus and Black Eyed Susan" by Masters Donald Fitzgerald and Edward Coleman was a scream. These youngsters were very clever in their parts.

Phantom Queens.

The "Phantom Queens, or Uneasy Lies the Head that Wears a Crown," was a whole entertainment in itself. This little play concerns Opta, a sweet girl graduate who aspires to a title. She falls asleep and sees in her dreams many queens bemoaning their sad fate, and on awakening is contented with her position in life. Miss Nellie Schuman played "Opta" in a charming manner and was excellently supported by Elizabeth Fitzgerald, Mary O'Keefe, Elizabeth Connolly, Anna Barrett, Florence Sullivan, Rose Archer, Stella Russell, Katharine Ronan, Helen Howley, Loretta Buckley, Gertrude Campbell, Gertrude Head and Florence Splan. The costumes were beautiful, and the piece was as carefully presented as if it was the only number on the program.

"Marfa's Weddin'."

"Marfa's Weddin'," a negro farce, scored a big hit with the audience. It was funny, and being cleverly played, proved a scream of delight. The parts were played by Arthur Bennis, Edward Coleman, Donald Fitzgerald, Joseph Schmeig, Charles O'Connor, Paul Kinney, Joseph Lusch, Paul Scott, Arthur Shay, Thomas Fitzgerald, Howard Johnson and Francis Begley. John Griffin and Paul Frawley were the buglers, a large number of little boys of the school were guests at the wedding of "Marfa."

"The Lotos Eaters," a series of poses by pretty girls ended the entertainment part of the program.

The curtain was raised again, and the graduating class was found in their places as in the opening of the exercises.

The Valedictory.

Miss Gertrude N. Head read a splendid essay on "Epictitus," after which on the part of the class she thanked the Sisters of Mercy for their untiring efforts, Father Coroner, and patrons of the school. She proved an excellent valedictorian, as well as a good student to win the first honors of her class. In her essay she said in part:

To be self-contained and self-efficient, to remain unmoved in the presence of good or evil fortune, imperturbable though the universe be shattered, was the goal for which he strove.

He also strove to live in harmony with nature. To do this is to rise into a sphere where the senses cease to trouble; it is to live in communion with the cosmic powers from which all things proceed, in cheerful obedience to the Eternal Destiny which, being the will of God, is the divine law. The wise man accepts this Will, as his first and highest duty. To fulfill it is the task which reason imposes upon him. * * * In his life he accused neither God nor man; he controlled desires; he knew not anger, nor resentment, nor envy; he fenced himself with virtuous shame. He had nothing to conceal; he feared neither exile nor death, for wherever and however he was, there also was God. * * * For Epictitus a virtuous life was not a means, but an end. He did not do right from a hope of prosperity and a good name; not that he might have health of body and mind; not because wise behavior produced a contented and happy temper, but he did what was just, without a thought of reward or punishment, impelled only by a sense of duty.

Music a Feature.

A feature of the commencement exercises was the music by the St. Agnes orchestra composed as follows: Violins—Misses Alice Ronan, Sylvia Marks, Clara Loewus, Paul Cullinan, Elmer McCracken. Cornet—Edward Lynch, Clarinet—T. Lagaga, Piano—Misses Elizabeth Fitzgerald, M. Gertrude Anthony, Teresa McMahon, Drum—Donald Fitzgerald.

Graduates Prepared Essays.

Each member of the graduating class, like the salutatorian and valectorian, prepared essays, which were presented to Sister Bernard, who is the head teacher. The papers were carefully prepared, and the subject thoroughly covered, showing much thought and study.

The graduates can be proud of the school in which they have finished their studies, the school and teachers can be justly proud of the graduates, and Towanda can be justly proud of them all.

Alumni Banquet.

At the conclusion of the commencement exercises, the annual banquet of the Alumni Association of the school, was held in the dinning hall. It was a nicely arranged affair, and proved very enjoyable.

Prof. D. L. Hower Acquitted.

Professor David L. Hower, principal of the high school at Media, Wayne county was acquitted Friday before Judge William B. Broomall on the charge of assault and battery on Walter Griscom, 13 years of age, the charge being preferred by Walter D. Griscom, father of the boy. The case grew out of a whipping that the Griscom lad received for daring Benjamin Holfish, a classmate, to throw a torpedo out of the window of the schoolroom. The boy testified in court that he was severely whipped, and the professor admitted it, saying the boy deserved all he got. The jury said "not guilty," and the school board immediately re-elected Prof. Hower and gave him an increase of salary.

Vigilant Association.

Northumberland county has a vigilant Taxpayers' Association to keep tab on its lax county officials. Through the watchfulness of this association the county has recovered $10,000 negligently paid out by a former Board of County Commissioners; $7,100 to the Owego Bridge Company and $2,800 on account of the highways in Turbut township. These errors were discovered by Mr. Bressler, representative of the Taxpayers' Association at Sunbury, who brought them to the attention of the County Treasurer and the Commissioners.

Attending Commencement.

Says the Monroeton Enterprise: "Mrs. O. H. Rockwell and Mrs. A. L. Lloyd Rockwell went to Cranford, N. J., Tuesday to visit relatives and attend the commencement exercises of the Cranford high schools, of which the former's son-in-law is principal and the latter's daughter, Genevieve, is one of the teachers. From that place Mrs. A. L. Rockwell and daughter will go to West Chester to atend the commencement exercises of the State Normal School, of which Miss Louise Rockwell is a graduate."

A Farewell Visit.

The members of the Order of the Eastern Star went to the home of Mrs. Ray Wortendyke Tuesday evening and when they departed they left a handsome silk umbrella. The visit was to say farewell to Mrs. Wortendyke who will leave soon for Syracuse —Sayre Times-Record.

Horse Had Rabies.

Dr. Marshall, the Towanda veterinary, Thursday received a letter from Dr. Pearson, the State Veterinarian, and head of the State Livestock Sanitary Board, stating that in the brain of the head of the Prince horse sent from Towanda, negri bodies were found, indicating that the animal was suffering with rabies when killed.

Germania Band Will Play.

It will be good news to many to know that the Germania band, Towanda's crack musical organization of other days, has been re-organized, and will be one of the attractions here during the old home and old people's days next week. The band is practicing regularly, and will be in shape to play in their old time form.

Rev. Heermans Pleased Them.

A correspondent writing from Rome says: "Rev. W. S. H. Heermans of Towanda, preached in the M. E. church on Sunday in the absence of the pastor. Those who heard him enjoyed his discourse very much. We hope to have him deliver his lecture at the church in the near future."

No Right of Way Difficulty.

The Tioga Traction Company has secured the right-of-way from Wellsboro to Whitneyville and as everybody along the line, so far, has been found to be in favor of the proposed line, little or no difficulty is expected in securing the right of way for the remainder of the route.

Divorce Granted.

A divorce has been granted which legally separates O. M. Bishop from his wife, Stella Bishop. Cruel and barbarous treatment were the grounds on which the divorces were granted.

DR. JOHN GRIFFIN.

Towanda Young Man Receives Degree of M. D. at Georgetown University.

The Washington "Herald" has the following to say of the commencement exercises of Georgetown University of which Dr. John Charles Griffin, son of the late John Griffin of Towanda, was a graduate on June 11th and who also, was valedictorian of the class: The "eminent M. D." came into his own Friday evening, June 11th in Gaston Hall of Georgetown University when sixteen medicos of the class of '09 received their diplomas at the sixtieth annual commencement exercises.

The degrees were conferred by Rev. Joseph Himmel, of the Society of Jesus, president of the university, and Prof. D. Percy Hickling, M. D. made the address to the graduates: John Charles Griffin of Towanda, Penna., who was valedictorian of the class, gave a history of the medical profession since its inception in the days of the Greek republic. The beginning of learning came from Hippocrates, he said, who, as early as 460 B. C. wrote seven books which have remained through the centuries incomparable among the writings of that period. He then traced the progress of the science to the present time, telling of the foundation of institutions for research and instruction in medicine. He referred in the highest terms to the achievements of two members of the Georgetown Medical faculty. Dean Kober who discovered the agency of flies in transmitting typhoid fever, and Dr. George Tully Vaughn professor of surgery, in the medical department of Georgetown University.

Dr. Griffin, besides being valedictorian recently won a hospital appointment for Providence hospital, Washington, by averaging highest in an inter-collegiate examination which he took against students from five other universities.

Having Fun.

The papers hereabouts are having a lot of fun with the dam idea. Here's the latest from the New Albany Mirror: "Some of the landowners in the vicinity of Towanda are between the devil and the deep—dam, so to speak. The promoters of the river dam project offer them a good round price for their farms, but they want two or three times as much. Now the assessors are pricking up their ears, and if they persist in their demands for impossible prices, the tax collector will make them howl when he calls to collect the revenue levied on the basis of their own valuation. They will either have to get out of the way of the dam tide or pay the publican."

A Good Scheme.

The graduating class of the high school at Owego, N. Y., did a wise thing and one that should commend itself to high school pupils everywhere. Early in their school course by common agreement they saved their money, adding to it by occasionally giving entertainments, and now they have enough to take the whole class on a trip to Washington, D. C. There they will see the sights, study government methods, meet the President, and carry home ideas and experiences that will be profitable to remember for a lifetime.

Good Creamery Business.

Business at the Hawthorne creamery has nearly doubled since last year, the amount paid to the patrons for the May product being 42 per cent greater than the amount paid for the corresponding month in 1908. The price paid for butter fat during May this year was 27 cents while a year ago the price paid was but 24 cents. Who said that the sale of oleo interferes with the butter market?—Monroeton Enterprise.

Erecting Monuments.

Says the Dushore Gazette: "Arthur and William Burchill, of Towanda, were in town Monday and with their local agent P. P. Martin put up three very fine monuments. One for M. Cummisky, one for Matthew Burns, one for Philliy McKernan. Burchill Bros. shipped a large consignment of monuments to this place before Decoration Day which were placed in the cemeteries in this vicinity."

Bulletins For the Farmers.

We have a quantity of government bulletins furnished us by Senator Penrose for free distribution among farmers and others who may be interested, and will be glad to give them out to any who call for them. They pertain to the breeding and care of horse, cattle, sheep, swine and fowls, and contain valuable information for the progressive farmer.

West Franklin Will Celebrate.

A dance will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall at West Franklin on the afternoon and evening of Monday, July 5. Ice cream will be furnished at the hall during the afternoon and evening. Good music will be in attendance. A good ball game and numerous races will take place in the afternoon and a grand display of fireworks will be given in the evening.

Register's Office News.

Will of George Peet, late of the Township of Wyalusing, deceased admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Jane Peet and E. G. Peet. Will of S. B. Morse, late of the Township of LeRoy, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted to Phebe C. Morse and Rancy K. Morse.

Piping Creek Water.

The Northern Anthracite Coal Co., is laying a pipe from the Loyalsock creek at Murray and expect to pump water from the Loyalsock to use in the boilers at the mines, the water at the mines not being fit for that purpose on account of the rusting properties of the water.—Dushore Gazette.

Here is Relief for Women.

If you have pains in the back, Urinary, Bladder or Kidney trouble and want a certain, pleasant herb relief from Woman' Ills, try Mother Gray's "AUSTRALIAN-LEAF." It is a safe, reliable regulator, and relieves all Female Weaknesses, including inflamation and ulcerations. Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf is sold by Druggists or sent by mail for 50 cts. Sample sent FREE. Address, The Mother-Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Some men go to the bad; others go into politics.

NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

Short Items of a Local and Personal Flavor.

Arthur P. Watson is ill with the measles.

Ulster will have a big Fourth of July celebration.

Mrs. O. A. Mann is visiting friends at Union Grove, Pa.

Mrs. O. Park Smith is spending several days in Rochester.

Miss Mildred Ballard of Troy, is the guest of Miss Lydia Ladd.

Sneak thieves are at work at Hallstead, Susquehanna county.

Miss Margaret Cowell of Athens, is visiting friends in Towanda.

LeRaysville will celebrate the ever glorious on Saturday, th third.

Miss Marguerite Smith of Binghamton, is the guest of Miss Faith Santee.

E. L. Teeter was over from Troy yesterday, making the trip in his auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Davis of LeRaysville, spent Saturday in Towanda.

Mrs. Edwin S. Balch of Philadelphia, is spending a few weeks in Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daugherty of Cebu, were shopping in town on Saturday.

The interior of Kaufman's store is being remodeled, repainted, and repapered.

Born, June 13, to Mr. and Mrs. William Allen of East Towanda, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marsden of Philadelphia, are visiting relatives in town.

Edward Chubbuck is home from State College for the Summer vacation.

Prof. L. J. Russell and Prof. Clark have been at Clairon, Pa., for a few days.

Mrs. Ed. Welles of New York, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Welles.

Tracy Roberts of Sayre, spent yesterday in Towanda the guest of Mrs. C. H. Turner.

Mrs. S. W. Little, of Towanda, is occupying her Summer cottage at Lake Carey.

Mrs. S. B. Morse, who has been for several weeks in the South, has returned to Towanda.

M. E. Chubuck has gone to Sunbury to attend the dedication of the Odd Fellows' orphanage.

Mrs. Edna Baker and daughter, Cleone of Rome, are visiting Mrs. W. L. Miracle, Bridge street.

The Misses Alice and Edith O'Connor of Herrick are visiting at Mrs. Howard Gardner's, Pittston.

The Omega Gamma Delta of the Towanda hight school, held a banquet at the Tidd house Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Welles, who have been visiting in Towanda, have returned to their home in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Burklin of Wilkes-Bare, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. M. J. Post, Fourth street.

Mrs. John Quigley and Mrs. Mary O'Connor of Towanda, attended the Blish-Sheridan wedding at Ithaca on Wednesday.

Hon. E. A. Strong of Wyalusing, has puurchased a half interest in the coal breaker at the Gunton mines, in Sullivan county.

Mrs. George P. Barton, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Welles, has returned to her home in Chicago.

Rev. F. W. Bartlett, who has been spending some time with his sister, Mrs. E. O. Maclarlane, has returned to his home at Rockport, Mass.

Homer Greene, of Honesdale, who was operated upon Tuesday, at Dr. Reed Burns' private hospital at Scranton, is getting along nicely.

The promised partial eclipse of the sun for Thursday proved to be a total eclipse in this section, the dark storm clouds, doing the job very nicely.

A celebration will be held in C. J. Horton's grove at Hornbrook on July 3, the proceeds to be used for the improvement of the Hornbrook cemetery.

The flower mission meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. W. J. Lundy, 103 Second street. Members please bring flowers.

Miss Madge Ross of Ulster, is one of the two students chosen at the Mansfield Normal school to attend a big school convention to be held in Maryland.

Clarence Mott, son of A. C. Mott of Franklindale, has returned home from Elmira, where he submitted to an operation for adenoids performed by Dr. Case.

The Misses Bernice and Donna Jackson of Williamsport, and Elizabeth and Agnes Moore of Waverly, have been th guests of Miss Evelyn Little for a couple of days.

County Superintendent of Schools H. S. Putnam yesterday returned from Clairon, Pa., where he assisted in the conducting of state examinations for teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gardner, R. Gardner, Miss Edith O'Connor, J. Gardner and Miss Alice O'Connor spent Monday at Scranton and Luna Park.

Ray Wortendyke, who resigned as foreman of the air brake department in the Sayre shops on Wednesday, was presented with a fine gold watch by the men who worked under his direction.

Mrs. James H. Codding has returned to her home in New York city after a visit in Towanda. She was accompanied by her nephew, Jack Codding, who will spend a season in the metropolis.

See the 25 clean limbed, and trained to the minute athletes contesting for the running championship of Bradford county on Friday of this week. Race starts at 11 a. m., and will be over a course of six miles.

Lemuel Kingsbury, son of A. H. Kingsbury of Towanda, has been unable to work for the past four weeks in the shop at Binghamton in which he is employed, on account of a broken bone in his right hand.

Born, June 16, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Francis of Binghamton, a son. Mrs. Francis before her marriage was Miss Lucy Hoagland of Towanda. The youngster has been named in honor of his grandfather, Seymour Hoagland of Towanda.

REV. V. W. MATTOON'S SON.

Supervises Improvements For Rim of Grand Canyon in Arizona.

Wilbur R. Mattoon, son of Rev. and Mrs. V. W. Matton, is a member of the United States Forest Service, with headquarters at Albuquerque, New Mexico. He has been for some time engaged in laying out a landscape and general improvement plan for the grounds along the rim of the Grand Canyon, Arizona.

As this canyon is counted the most wonderful work of nature in the world, the task is a delightful one. Earlier in the season he prepared the plans established last Summer in the Coconino national forest, with headquarters near Flagstaff, Arizona. Here is found one of the largest pure yellow pine forests in the world, and offers exceptionally favorable conditions for studying the influence of a forest cover upon the climatic and soil conditions of a specified region. Rapid advances are being made by the Forest Service throughout the west in conserving the timber supply and regenerating the forests by planting of trees and sowing seed on denuded areas, and thus providing for the future demand. Mr. Mattoon, last winter prepared plans for enlarging and improving Highland park in his resident city. He has previously made extensive plans for a publice park in El Paso, Texas, and in other places.

Mr. Mattoon's father, Rev. V. W. Mattoon was a resident in this vicinity several years. He was a member of the Central New York Conference of the Methodist church and had pastorates in Bradford county at Liberty Corners and East Smithfield.

Burglar Frightened Away.

Someone attempted to enter the home of former county commissioner John H. Murray at South Waverly Wednesday night, but was frightened away. A colored boy employed by Mr. Murray heard the burglar, aroused Mr. Murray who telephoned to the police. As an officer came upon the scene a man ran away from the Murray home, but could not be caught. Thursday four tramps were arrested at Sayre on complaint of Mr. Murray, but there being no way to identify them, they were released on the promise to leave the valley.

Boxing Bout.

A two round boxing bout was pulled off in the First ward Wednesday evening, and the "Kinney House Gladiator," received a slow corkscrew inshoot which discolored one of his optics, at which point the referee stopped the bout.

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FOR RENT.

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LARGE lot and new house finished in oak with electric lights, bath and water, in Borough of Wyalusing; also 70 acres of productive land with good buildings, well watered, fruit of all kinds, 3 miles from Wyalusing, 1 mile from Sugar Run, on R. F. D. Terms reasonable. Elijah Fisk, Wyalusing, Pa. s8jly*

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